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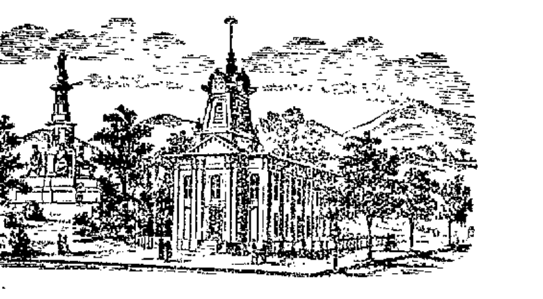
Gettysburg  Compiler.

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Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday, March 22, 1898.

Of a General Kind.

Waynesboro is trying to organize a company with $25,000 capital for a knitting mill.

It is reported that the Western Maryland Railroad Company will erect car shops at Hagerstown costing $40,000. The Union Bridge shops will also be maintained.

A WASHINGTON (Ga.) sportsman made the most remarkable shot on record while out partridge shooting the other day. He raised his gun to shoot at a bird, but the weapon was prematurely discharged. The shot, striking a nearby rock, glanced up and killed the partridge. The gunner is a man of unquestioned veracity, but lest some should be skeptical he afterward exhibited the bird which had thus been killed.

Every member of Carlisle council, No. 574, Jr. O U. A. M., at a meeting recently pledged himself to join a company in case of war with Spain.

Veterinary Examiner Dr. J. P. Stover has discovered tuberculosis in two herds of Abraham Snowberger, near Waynesboro, and has been obliged to kill a couple of the cattle. There are more affected and they will be dispatched this week.

The Young Men's Christian Association has more than 250,000 members in America, and its total net property is valued at over over $16,000,000.

Gov. Jones, of Arkansas, prohibited the prize fight which was to have taken place Wednesday night at Hot Springs between McCoy and Burley.

By a vote of two to one the Penn township, York county, literary society has decided "that the battle of Gettysburg was more decisive than the battle of Waterloo."

More than 100 letters have been received at the State executive department from men asking permission to enlist companies in the service of the state in the event of a crisis being reached in the difficulties with Spain.

In disposing of an application for a liquor license at Chambersburg, recently, Judge Stewart expressed reluctance at granting the privilege to an unmarried man. The applicant obligingly promised to get married at once, and other citizens who intend to file applications next year are already looking about for wives.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The following is the report of Biglerville Primary School for term ending March 11, 1898:

Whole number in attendance during month, males 24; females 16; per ct. of attendance during month, male 98; female 98. Average per ct. of attendance for term, male 97; female 97. No. in attendance every day of the term, male 6; female 5. No. in attendance every day of term but one, males 4; females 3. In attendance every day of the month, males: Roy Dugans, Chas. Tipton, Robert Thomas, Edward Bowers, Eli Bream, Clarence Bowers, Chas. Walter, Harry Strickhouser, Sewell Kapp, Harry Crum, Martin Crum, Guy Lauver, Rufus Roth, Rudolph Arnold, Roy Kesselring, Bud Lerew, Edgar Sandoe, Elias Slaybaugh; Females: Vera L Stevens, Mary Arnold, Emma Dugans, Ada Dugans, Vergie Dugans, Dora Walter, Florence Minnick, Carrie Lauver, Dorothea Tipton, Nellie Eckenrode, Myrtle Watkins. Those who missed one day during month, males: Clarence Roth, Blaine Walter, Wilmer Bream; females: Daisy Kime, Emma Knouse, Mabel Walter.

J. W. WEIGLE, Teacher.

The April *Century* is to contain a number of articles on Pennsylvania coal mining, one of them by Jay Hambridge the artist, who contributes "An Artist's Impression of the Colliery Regions." The illustrations include views in Lattimer, where the recent strikes occured, and Mr. Hambridge has made a great number of interesting sketches of the many types of people he found in the collieries. The Italians are called "Hikes," and the other foreigners—Slovaks, Polacks, etc.—are grouped under the name of "Hunks."

Armour's Wheat Avalanche.

Armour, of Chicago, is sweeping the country again to get wheat for delivery to Leiter on May contracts. He bought 8,000,000 bushels in December for Leiter, who has not sold more than half of it.

Leiter took May wheat on Monday last in order to keep the future from slumping. During the week he had taken more than 1,500,000 bushels of May wheat and 500,000 bushels of cash wheat from the Northwest.

Armour is also credited with extensive selling of May wheat. It is evident Leiter is having a hard time keeping up May wheat, and on Monday had to buy at 104½ to keep the price up.

Western people insist that Leiter's presence in the market has worked immense good to the farmers, and there is some talk of alliances being formed to fight his opponents.

BAILEY—"I say, Bailey, how about that ten?"

Bailey—"Oh, you wouldn't strike a man for money just before his vacation, would you?"

(Three weeks later.)

Bagley—"Well, Bailey, have you got that ten?"

Bailey—"Oh, I say, just after my vacation!"—*Puck*.

MRS. FLAGG—"Why can't you wash your face once in a while without my having to tell you every time?"

Tommy—"I'm afraid you'd think I'd been in swimming."—*Melbourne Weekly Times*.

TEACHER—"You are painfully slow with figures, Tommy. Come, now, speak up quickly. If your father gave your mother a fifty dollar bill and a twenty dollar bill, what would she have?"

Tommy—"A fit."—*Harper's Bazar*.

WIFE (revisiting the scene of her betrothal)—"I remember, Algernon, so well when you proposed to me how painfully embarrassed you were."

Algernon—"Yes, dear, and I remember so well how kind and encouraging you were, and how easy you made it for me, after all."

IT MADE HIM PARTICULAR.

"Save me! save me!" she cried, as her head rose above the water, and she grasped a plank floating by.

"I beg your pardon," he replied, from the bank, "but I'm a married man with seven children."

"Yes, yes; save me!" she shrieked.

"Then ther'll be no falling into my arms, and calling me preserver, will there?"

"Oh, no, no."

"And you won't insist on marrying me for my heroic conduct?"

"No, no; only save me?"

"All right, I'll tackle the job." he responded as he threw aside his coat. "You see," he explained, just before diving in, "I was caught by one of o' those dodges once before, and that's why I'm married; it makes me a bit particular now."—*Tit-Bits*.

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WHAT IS GOOD.

"What is the real good?"
I asked in musing mood.
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"*Knowledge*," said the school;
"*Truth*," said the wise man;
"*Pleasure*," said the fool;
"*Love*," said the maiden;
"*Beauty*," said the page;
"*Freedom*," said the dreamer;
"*Home*," said the sage;
"*Fame*," said the soldier;
"*Equity*," the seer.
Spake my heart full sadly —
"The answer is not here."
Then within my bosom
Softly this I heard:
"Each heart holds the secret;
Kindness is the word."
—JOHN BOYLE O'REILLY.

A Stroke of Luck.

By Eben E. Rexford.

DEACON WADE was hoeing in the garden, close by the road, on the morning when the idea came to him that it would be a good plan for him to get married again.

The way in which the idea came to him was this: Just as he reached the end of the row nearest the road, some one said: "Good morning, Deacon Wade," in a voice that made him think of blackbirds and bobolinks, and he looked up to see Rhoda Mason smiling over the fence at him.

"Good morning, good morning," responded the deacon, delightedly. "Beautiful morning, isn't it?"

"Charming," answered Rhoda. "How is Mrs. Wheelock? Well, I suppose?"

"She's gone over to her son's again," answered the deacon. "She went yesterday—some of her children sick, I believe—so Bob and I are keeping house alone. I'm getting about tired of it, and so's Bob. He was telling me this morning that he thought it would be a good idea for one of us to hunt up a new housekeeper; and I don't know but he was right."

Pretty Rhoda's face got as rosy as the blossoms on the Damask rose-bush by the gate. The deacon wondered why he had never noticed how pretty she was before.

"I see you've got a fine crop of strawberries," said Rhoda, pretending to be greatly interested in the long rows of ripening fruit. "Ours are a failure this year. Mother said she didn't believe we'd have enough for a shortcake."

"I want to know!" exclaimed the deacon. "That's too bad, I declare We'll have more than we can use, and I'll bring you over some just as soon as they're ripe enough to pick."

"Thank you ever so much," responded Rhoda. "I know mother'll be glad to get them. But I must be going, or I won't be back by dinner time," and she went her way, leaving the deacon with a new idea in his head.

"I s'pose folks would say it was foolish for an old fellow like me to marry a young girl like Rhoda," he said to himself, as he turned back on the next row of sweet corn. "But other men older than I am marry young wives; so why shouldn't I? We need a good housekeeper here. It's getting so we can't depend on Mrs. Wheelock. She's gone half the time, and we're likely to lose her altogether, almost any time. Of course, folks'll say Bob ought to get married instead of me; but he don't seem to have any idea of it and I can't put any idea of it into his head. Rhoda's a great deal younger than I am; but she's a sensible girl, and I'm sure she'd make a good wife. I wonder why I never thought of it before?"

The more the deacon thought of it the more in earnest he got. On Saturday he picked a basket of luscious strawberries and that afternoon he took them over to the Mason homestead.

"I declare, if I ain't rather excited," said the deacon, as he neared Rhoda's home, and felt his heart beating quick and hard. "I thought I'd got over that years ago. If I feel this way now, how'll I feel when I get there? Of course, I'm not going to propose to her right away. I'll just kind o' hint at matters and things, enough to set her to thinking. 'Taint best to be in too great a hurry about such things."

Rhoda was sitting on the front porch, shelling peas. Pretty as she had looked that morning in the roadside, she looked far prettier to-day, the deacon thought.

"Oh, you've brought those berries you promised us, haven't you?" cried Rhoda. "It's so kind of you. Mother was delighted when I told her what you were going to do. I'm so sorry she isn't at home this afternoon. She went to call on Mrs. Perkins—she's sick, you know. But come in and sit down, and maybe she'll be back before you go. I hope she will, for I know she'll be real disappointed to miss your visit."

"Oh, that's nothing," said the deacon. "I—I can come over again, you know."

"I wish you would," said Rhoda. "Mother was saying that you weren't very neighborly. She didn't remember when you'd been here."

"Well, now that I've got to coming maybe I'll come often," said the deacon. Then he made a few remarks about the weather, and the prospect of a good hay crop and the condition of the markets for farm produce, and gradually, by what he considered very diplomatic management, he worked around to the subject of housekeepers.

"Yes, Mrs. Wheelock's back," he said, in answer to Rhoda's question, "but there's no telling how long she'll stay. What we need now is a housekeeper we can depend on. One that belongs there, and has an interest in the work, you see."

"Yes, I suppose so," answered Rhoda, with a most bewitching rosiness.

"I—I want to see your mother and have a good long talk with her about—about an idea I've got," said the deacon, by and by. "She knows how much we need a housekeeper, and I always thought her a very sensible woman, and I'm sure she'd think just as I do about—about this idea of mine. At least, I hope so. I suppose she'd feel able to carry on the housework on a place like this, wouldn't she? She seems strong and healthy as ever."

"Oh, yes, mother'd manage that all right," answered Rhoda. "She often tells me she don't need any of my help."

"She's got the idea plain enough," thought the deacon, in great delight, as Rhoda said that. "I'm getting along splendidly. She's the most sensible girl I ever saw. I wonder how much farther I'd better go now? Maybe I'd better wait, just as I'd made up my mind an' give her time to talk it over with her mother before I come right out with the question. I will," and it was well that he came to this decision and adhered to it, as he congratulated himself a few days later.

The deacon might have stayed until Mrs. Mason's return, but a young girl friend of Rhoda's came, and that put an end to his visit.

"You can talk with your mother, and see what she thinks about what I've been saying," he said, as he took his departure. "Let me know the first chance you have."

The next Wednesday evening Robert Wade was away from home. About one o'clock his father heard him come in.

"I wouldn't wonder if Rob's got an idea of sparking somebody," thought the deacon. "Maybe it's like the measles—when it gets into the family they all have it," and he chuckled to think his son might have caught the disease from him. "Well, Rob's a good boy, and I hope he'll do as well in getting a wife as I shall, if I get Rhoda Mason."

The next morning Rob looked very wise, as he sat down to breakfast, opposite his father.

"I've got a message for you," he said, by and by, when the housekeeper had left the room. "I was over to the Mason place, and when I came away, Rhoda told me to tell you that if you wanted to know what her mother thought about your housekeeping idea, you'd better come over and talk with her about it. I was quite surprised to find out you'd got matrimonial ideas in your head, but I want to say that I think the plan a most sensible one. Mrs. Mason would make you a tip-top housekeeper, and—if you'll take the mother, I'll take the daughter. Indeed, I've got an arrangement to that effect. Rhoda and I came to a satisfactory understanding last night."

Rob's face was quite red when he got through with his speech, but his father's was redder. He opened his mouth, once or twice, as if trying to say something, but words would not come. It was well for him that the housekeeper came in at this juncture. Rob went out, and he betook himself to his room to collect his bewildered senses.

"Well—I declare!" The poor deacon dropped into the first chair he came to, and sat and stared at the bedpost for as much as half an hour, before he began to get things straightened out.

"I begin to understand it," he told himself by and by. "I've come dreadfully near making a fool of myself. I guess I did make a fool of myself, all right enough; but what I mean is, I came dreadfully near getting caught at it But, by the greatest stroke of luck that ever happened to me, I haven't been caught. I see how it is. Rob's going to marry Rhoda, and he's been sparking her all along, and the girl thought I knew it, and she thinks it was her mother I had in view for a housekeeper. And, as luck would have it, I didn't say anything that'll give me away—if I carry out the deception and marry Rhoda's mother. If I don't they'll mistrust something. It seems as if fate had something to do with it. I never thought of such a thing, but I'm forced right into it, so to speak. I can't help myself. And, come to think of it, it's the proper thing to do. It would have been a foolish thing for an old man like me to marry a young girl like Rhoda. Ain't it lucky, now, that I didn't say any more that day? I stopped just at the right time and place. It seems she's told her mother what I said, and—I'm to come over and talk with her about it. I will."

When Deacon Wade made up his mind to anything, he was prompt to act. Saturday afternoon saw him setting out for the Mason homestead with another basket of strawberries. The widow was at home this time, and she welcomed him with a blush that made her look almost as pretty as her daughter.

"Take a seat out on the porch, deacon, where it's cool," said the widow. "And I'll sit here and hull the berries while we visit. Rob's coming over by and by, Rhoda said, and both of you must stay to tea. I remember how fond you used to be of shortcake, and we'll have one that'll make you think of old times."

"Robert," said the deacon, as his son came up the path about five o'clock, "I want to exchange congratulations with you. You've got the promise of the daughter, and I've got the promise of the mother. I think both of us deserve congratulations. We're in luck, my boy."

"That's the way I look at it," said Robert, giving the blushing Mrs. Mason a rousing kiss. Just then Rhoda appeared on the scene to announce that tea was waiting, and the deacon stepped up to her and kissed her in a most fatherly manner, and then put her hand in Robert's and said: "Bless you, my children," in most approved stage fashion.

"But wasn't I lucky, though, to get off so easy," he said to himself, more than once, after he thought over his narrow escape. "It makes me shiver to think how near I came to being found out for an old fool. But, by the greatest stroke of luck I ever had, I came out all right, and got just the kind of a wife that I ought to have. I shall always believe in luck after this."—*N. Y. Ledger*.

HIS OBJECTION.

A TURKEY AN INCONVENIENT BIRD, AS IT WAS TOO MUCH FOR ONE AND NOT ENOUGH FOR TWO.

In the days "before the war" a family of hard-working people lived in a border county of Mississippi. Their home was situated upon the "big road," which led from Alabama northward into Mississippi. They did not keep a tavern, but they often fed the wayfarer.

One Saturday the housewife roasted a large turkey, baked a batch of bread and made a number of pies. She was ready for her Sunday dinner, and expected to go to church the next day; the services were held a number of miles away.

After 2 o'clock that Saturday afternoon a single horseman appeared. He asked for his dinner and fed his horse in the ample stable of the farmer. The housekeeper was busy and the man in haste, so she set the turkey before him, thinking that he would not make much of an impression upon it.

The stranger sat down in front of the turkey and set to work. He cut into the breast of one side and ate it all. His appetite was only whetted. He demolished the wing and then cut off the leg. The drumstick disappeared and the upper joint was stripped. The woman stood aghast. She pattered out to the back porch where her pies were cooling, and, selecting a tempting apple pie, set it before her guest. He put it to one side and turned the untouched side of the turkey toward him. He cut off the wing and the leg. The woman saw her Sunday dinner disappear before her eyes.

At length, having exposed all the bones of the large fowl, he attacked the pie and left not a crumb.

The woman sank into a chair near by. She was too much overcome for a moment to speak. Then she said:

"You seem to have enjoyed the turkey. There is not so much left as I expected."

She could say no more. She felt that words were inadequate to the occasion.

The man pushed back his chair, took out his quill toothpick, crossed his knees and sighed with satisfaction. Then he spoke:

"Well, madam," said he, "a turkey is a very inconvenient bird."

He fell to ruminating. His countenance expressed the benevolence which a good dinner is apt to produce in a man.

The woman waited for him to explain, but he was silent. Then she said:

"Why is the turkey inconvenient?"

"Well, madam, it is a little too much for one and not quite enough for two," replied her guest.

The woman fainted.—*St. Louis Republic*.

The Tramp Problem.

It would be impossible to ascertain and describe the many methods which have been tried to solve the tramp problem. So far as the writer knows, all, except the Rahway plan, have failed. And this plan, owing to its objectionable feature, is not likely to find many advocates. Indeed, notwithstanding its success, it has already been abandoned by the authorities of Rahway themselves. The Rahway plan was suggested only when the usual methods of arresting and fining tramps had failed to free the locality of their presence. Situated on the main line of a great railroad, Rahway was visited by an ever-increasing number of vagrants, until it was finally decided by the Mayor that notices should be conspicuously posted throughout the city, warning tramps that they would be arrested on sight, and put to hard labor on the streets in chain gangs. The notices were posted; but the first tramps who saw them treated the matter as a joke, and proceeded, as usual, to beg from house to house. They were, probably, the most surprised vagrants who ever visited New Jersey, when they found themselves, next morning, forced to mend and clean the streets, each man wearing a ball and chain riveted to one of his ankles. The unusual punishment created great interest. Rahway correspondents of New York papers telegraphed the news, which was then disseminated throughout the country by means of press associations; and within a brief period tramps from one end of the land to the other were familiar with the "horrible fate" that would await them upon a visit to Rahway. The gentleman who advised the Mayor to apply this summary treatment said recently that, after six of them had been so treated, the city was absolutely freed from tramps, and that, although the plan has not been carried out of recent years, its effect had been so salutary that it is exceptional, even to-day, for a tramp to enter the confines of that municipality. Instead of walking through Rahway, when journeying to or from New York, the vagrant waits outside the city limits until he is able to board a freight train, and travels through the place as fast as the cars will carry him.—Mr. H. E. Rood in the March *Forum*.

FARMER HAYRICK (reading paper)—"That settles it! I'm goin' ter quit fatt'nin' hogs en go ter raisin' steers."

Mrs. Hayrick—"What's the matter, pa?"

Farmer Hayrick — "Why, matter 'nough! This here paper sez 100,000 hogs went inter home consumption in this State durin' the past year. I've fit off the cholera an' blin' staggers all my life, but the Lord knows ef consumption's gettin' hold of 'em they ain't nothin' at'll save 'em."—*N. Y. Journal*.

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A DOCTOR'S DIRECTIONS.

They save a daughter from blindness.

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Chased by Wolves

WITH A HEAVY TWO-HORSE SLEIGH AND NO WEAPONS FOR DEFENSE.

Before any railroad had been built along the upper Mississippi all traffic in the summer was by steamboat, which carried also the mail. In the winter everything was carried by stage. There was a line of mail-stages between St. Paul and Prairie du Chien—or the southern terminus may have been La Crosse at the time of which I write. These stages followed the river—how much of the distance on the ice I cannot say, but in my neighborhood, where the river expanded and became Lake Pepin the route was all on the ice, and most of the way far from the shore. Leading down to the lake, on both the Minnesota and Wisconsin sides, are many ravines or coulees, worn by the water courses and wooded. Even now there is much wild land among the bluffs.

It was in the latter part of January years ago that I found myself at Hawk's Landing, on the Minnesota side of the river just below the foot of the lake, whither I had gone with an uncle. He found that his business would detain him longer than he expected and he decided to send me back alone on the stage. It should have left the landing at 1 o'clock, but it was delayed somewhere down the river and did not arrive till nearly 3. It was a full afternoon's drive to Lake City, but the driver said he had a good team and promised to get through on time, notwithstanding the late start. He was a rough and dissipated man, but we had the reputation of always keeping sober till after the day's trip had been completed. But the delay may have upset him, and I think he began drinking before we started, although no one then noticed it. He certainly had provided himself with a large bottle of liquor, as I soon had occasion to know. I suppose I could not have been more than 12 or 13 years old, although life in a new country and on a farm had given me ability to take care of myself beyond my years.

When we departed from the War Eagle House on the levee and swung up the road under the shadow of Wabasha Bluff, with the horses at a gallop, I felt a sort of admiration for the driver, notwithstanding his roughness. We slackened somewhat when we got beyond the line of houses along the single street and soon rounded the bluff and kept along the edge of a bank above the frozen river.

We soon came to the lake and turned down Fond du Lac Point and out upon the ice, where the road was marked by little cedars. I found cause to be alarmed at the state of the weather. The wind had freshened a great deal and the snow was drifting rapidly. It was not sufficient to shut out from our sight the row of evergreens, and we could see even the bluffs at either side of the lake; but the fine snow was sifting along over the crust like streaming hair and rapidly filling the track. This made our progress slow, but the condition of the driver was soon a great hindrance. He drove either with the horses on a run or a slow walk, although they walked more than they ran.

We were not yet half way when the sun was only a little above the Minnesota bluffs, with big orange sun dogs standing up each side of it. Just as it disappeared below the bluffs the driver slid out of the seat into a drunken sleep in the bottom of the sleigh. I climbed over into the front seat and took the reins myself.

"You seem to know how to drive; do you think we can get there to-night?" asked the other passenger.

"I can drive four horses," I answered very proudly. "We can get through, I guess, if it doesn't storm so that we can't follow the trees."

I had for some time been looking anxiously for the lights of the town, although there was no hope of seeing them yet, when my attention was attracted by a dark object on the snow far to the right toward the Wisconsin shore.

The man saw it and said: "What's coming over there—some other team?"

"They wouldn't be going so fast," I answered, picking up the whip from the bottom of the sleigh. The shadow was now directly to the right.

"It's some sort of animal," went on the man. He paused for a moment and added: "They look like big dogs."

At that moment there came the cry I had so often heard at home, only much deeper, harsher and louder.

"They're wolves!" I said, and I cracked the whip at the horses, although that was hardly necessary, as they heard the savage howl as well as we did and knew it meant danger.

The second time I looked back I saw that the pack was much nearer. I could make out the leaders and see that there must be twenty or thirty of the animals, all told. My fellow-passenger was clinging to the seat and crying to me to drive faster, although the horses were fairly running away and I had practically no control over them one way or the other.

"Can't you throw out the trunk and back seat?" I shouted to him.

I heard the man throwing out the small sacks and the buffalo robes. The robes seemed to delay the wolves longer than anything else. They stopped and tore them to shreds. We got a quarter mile start. All of this time the drunken driver was sleeping like a log in the bottom of the sleigh.

The horses were becoming exhausted and I could feel that they were going slower. I now urged them on with whip and voice, but it seemed to make no difference. The howling behind us began to come plainer; the wolves had left the robes and were again gaining on us. Right ahead I could see a high ridge in the ice where it had cracked and shoved up. A notch had been cut in it just wide enough for a sleigh to pass through. I held the reins steady and tried to slow up a little, in the hope of steering safely through the narrow crack. As we came up to it I saw a dark streak between the rough cones at either side; the crack had opened two or three feet during the day and the new ice had formed. We struck the opening in the ridge squarely; the nigh horse reared up and jumped over the new ice, but the other stepped on it and broke through with one forward leg. He fell, but the horse dragged him and the sleigh beyond the crack, where we stopped all in a heap.

I jumped over the dashboard and fell in the snow beside the horse. He was struggling to rise, but I guessed what had happened and threw my body across his neck and felt of his leg. It was crushed and broken. I got out my knife, cut the breaststrap which held the neck-yoke and called to the man to unhook the traces, which he managed to do at last.

The wounded horse was again struggling to rise and had sprawled himself out of the way. I shouted at the other horse; he started with a bound and the man and I threw ourselves into the sleigh, half knocking out our brains as our heads struck together. We looked back and saw the whole hungry pack fall upon the abandoned horse and bear him down just as the poor animal had succeeded in getting upon his three sound legs

The horse that was still attached to the sleigh plunged on bravely for some distance, with the sleigh-tongue almost ploughing in the snow, but he soon tired out and dragged himself along in a startled sort of way. But it made no difference, as the wolves never pursued us again.

We got out and walked beside the sleigh to keep warm, and, as the crack was only two miles from town, it was not long before we reached our destination. A party of men went back to get a shot at the wolves, but, their hunger satisfied on the fallen horse, they made off before the hunters could reach them. The next morning the passenger took the down stage back to civilization, vowing that he had had enough of the Northwest. The drunken driver was promptly discharged by the stage company.—*Youth's Companion*

Making Butter at Penna. State College.

BY GEO. P. MYERS, OF FLORADALE.

The course in butter making at Penna. State College includes all the work from the feeding of the cow to the finishing of the butter:

The detection and remedy of all the difficulties to be met in this line of work; the pasturizing of milk and cream for butter and commercial purposes. The proper way to take all the different kinds of samples for testing, and the acids used in testing them; also book-keeping.

Great stress is laid on the effect of bacteria upon milk and its products. This no up-to-date dairy course can afford to omit, as a great many of the troubles, such as ropy, bitter, and bad smelling milk are caused by this vegetative growth.

Some of the essential things to produce gilt-edge butter are to have all utensils scrupulously clean. This requires washing and scalding or turning over a steam jet. Sunlight is also a good destroyer of bacteria.

Creameries should have plenty of light, good ventilation, pure water and an ice supply

The students are divided into three sections, and each section is assigned a different part of the work, so that one section is separating, another pasturizing and so on. Each section is supplied with blank sheets by the various instructors who appoint a foreman for each section, whose duty it is to superintend the work, collect the blanks after they are filled and give them to the instructor in charge.

All milk is inspected before being weighed in and such rejected that is not pronounced fit to make good butter. A sample of each patron's milk is taken every day for a week or ten days. These samples are put in pint jars and a little corrosive sublimate or bichromate of potash added to keep it from souring. A test is made from these mixed samples. Great care should be exercised in this as the preservatives are poison.

After the milk has all been received for the day the machinery is started by the one having the blank calling for that part of the work. Each student must record the work he has done, as weights of whole milk, speed of separator bowl, and number of pounds separated per minute. A sample to test is taken of cream and skim milk immediately after separation.

The cream is put over a cooler and cooled down to about 45 F, then removed to the cream vats in a separate room and held at that temperature for five or six hours. After this the temperature is raised to 55 or 59 F, and a starter added, usually a skim milk starter. This is made by taking the milk of one cow, separating it and keeping the skim milk at a good ripening temperature until it sours properly. It is then kept in a cool place. From three to 5 per cent. of this is used, according to the temperature at which the cream is ripened. After the proper acidity has developed the temperature is lowered to churning point When the cream is put into the churn and butter color added to suit the custom, usually 25 to 15cc per 100 pounds of butter fat, it is churned until the buttermilk takes on a thin, bluish, watery appearance. The buttermilk is removed and wash water added to about ½ the amount of buttermilk. The water should be several degrees colder than the butter; but too much washing removes the delicate flavor. Salt is added to suit the trade, ranging from ½ to 2 oz. to the pound of butter. It should not be worked longer than to thoroughly mix the salt through it, as much working injures the texture and appearance.

Butter should always be printed or packed in a neat showy manner, as this adds much to the appearance and commands a higher price than ordinary butter.

If these plans were more closely followed we would find less of the butter known as "Process Butter," or "Axle Grease"

"COOPER's works," replied the shopman. "Yes, madam; here are the Leather-Stocking Tales.'" "I don't think I want them," replied the shopper. "Hasn't Mr. Cooper written any 'Golf-Stocking Tales' yet?"

BOOK-KEEPER—"This man has always paid cash and now wants to open an account. Shall I accommodate him?" Manager—"Certainly not." Book-keeper—"And this man has had an account and now pays cash." Manager—"Never trust him again."

"ALFONSO," said Mrs. Midas, "here is a heading in this paper that says 'Had One Wife Too Many.' The rest of the article is torn off. How many wives do you suppose the brute had?" "One probably," was Midas' prompt reply.

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THE WAR SITUATION.

The jingo cry for war with Spain has largely ceased, and our relations with that country are as yet peaceful. It seems to be definitely understood that the destruction of the Maine was by external causes, but the responsibility is not yet located and it is not probable that a cause for war will be found in that terrible disaster. Circumstances indicate rather that war, if it comes, will have its cause in our sympathies with Cuba, for which people the citizens of the United States, to a man, have a friendly feeling, and for whom they may eventually force independence.

Spain naturally resents our influence in Cuban affairs, and there is in Spain, it appears, a strong war feeling against us. But President McKinley treats the question conservatively and may be able to prevent an outbreak. If war comes therefore, it will be on good cause only. In the meanwhile wise preparations are being made to the end that, if we have to fight, we may fight effectively.

THE REPUBLICAN FAMILY BATTLE.

Eight counties chose delegates to the Republican State convention during the last week, but outside of Lancaster they do not indicate any positive trend of Republican sentiment on the nomination for Governor. Lancaster elected a solid Quay delegation, and it was a contest of unexampled bitterness. The battle at the primaries involved not only the choice of delegates to the State convention, but a Senator and a full list of Representatives who will vote on the next United States Senator.

Delaware county nominated candidates for the Legislature who are friendly to Quay's re-election. The delegates to the State convention were practically unanimously instructed for ex-Collector Cooper for Governor. It is understood that if Cooper shall retire from the field at the convention, the delegates will not antagonize Senator Quay.

Franklin county has re-nominated Representative Britton who voted for Wanamaker for Senator in 1897, and his colleague will doubtless occupy an independent position with Britton on the next Senatorship. They are not of the bolting class, but will obey their own judgment in the election of a Senator. The delegates to the State convention will probably be neither Wanamaker nor Quay men, but would likely prefer Wanamaker in a square contest between the two men.

Blair county made a divide between Quay and Wanamaker, and has given Quay practically the unanimous vote for Senator and sent Wanamaker delegates to the State convention.

Indiana was warmly contested by the anti-Quay forces, but they failed to defeat the Quay representatives for re-election. Quay's friends swept the county, carrying both the legislative nominations and the delegation to the State convention.

Three counties in Representative Charles W. Stone's district—Venango, Cameron and McKean—held primary elections on Saturday and unanimously chose delegates to the State convention in favor of Stone.

The only startling and special feature of the primary elections held during last week was the contest in Lancaster, where the two Republican factions locked horns in desperation, and where the supremacy of Quay seems to have been maintained by increased majorities.—*Phila. Times.*

EX-POSTMASTER GENERAL WANAMAKER last Wednesday night fired the opening gun of his campaign for the Republican Gubernatorial nomination at a large meeting in Lancaster.

That portion of Mr. Wanamaker's Lancaster speech declaring that the only call he had accepted was to be a candidate for nomination by the Republican State Convention has not dispelled the fears of the Quay lieutenants, it is stated, that he may become an independent candidate after the nomination. In political circles generally this was the part of the speech most carefully read and leaders of the different Republican factions summed it up as meaning simply that Mr. Wanamaker, from this time until the convention, is to be regarded as a Republican fighting within party lines for the regular nomination.

THERE has been a great deal said within the last year or two about the fraudulent mixture of cornmeal with flour and selling the mixture as wheat flour, and there is, we believe, a bill now pending in Congress dealing with this custom. In the West many of the reputable millers have undertaken a crusade against those who sell adulterated flour as pure wheat flour. When a small portion only of cornmeal ground fine is admixed with the flour it is almost impossible to detect the fraud. But if the adulteration is considerable the presence of the meal is easily detected.

THE Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections on Friday authorized a favorable report on the amendment to the Constitution of the United States, introduced by Senator Hoar, changing the time of year for the expiration of the terms of the President, Vice-President, Senators and Representatives of Congress from March 4 until the last Wednesday in April. The object of the amendment is to avoid the harsh weather which sometimes interferes with inauguration ceremonies when held on the 4th of March.

SECRETARY GAGE recently said: "The people of the country are getting used to this war talk, and they understand that it means little or nothing. There is, of course, a possibility of war, and if it comes the financial resources of the Government are equal to any emergency which may confront us. Our credit abroad is of the best, as evidenced by the standing of our bonds. The business interests have not as yet been seriously affected by the possibilities of war."

AMONG the names mentioned for the Democratic nomination for State Senator from this district, says a dispatch from Carlisle, are Captain William E. Miller, of Carlisle; E. J. McCune and ex-Senator Samuel N. Wherry, both of Shippensburg. None of these gentlemen have announced their candidacy, but it is understood that friends are bringing pressure to bear upon them.

THE *York Dispatch* says that York county is an anti-Quay county and Mr. Wanamaker has a host of friends in every section who will only too gladly rally to his support.

FROM reports it appears that the wheat throughout our county is generally good, though winter-killed in spots. Grass is beginning to come through and promises well. Some plowing is being done, though much of the ground is as yet too wet.

THE NEXT LEGISLATURE.

Referring to this Senatorial district the *Phila. Record* makes the following suggestion:

Democratic divisions on irrelevant questions of Federal politics alone have prevented those counties from preserving their Democratic representation in the State Senate as well as in the House. This is true of many other Democratic counties, and it was a potent cause of much of the demoralization which pervaded the Legislature of Pennsylvania in 1897. In consequence of Democratic dissensions over questions with which the State Legislature has no concern Republicans who had little hope of election when nominated have filled Democratic seats in the Senate and House. These Republican misrepresentatives of Democratic constituencies to whom they have owed no responsibility swelled the majorities in favor of every species of jobbery and corruption in the late General Assembly. The Democrats in such counties as Cumberland, Adams, Clearfield, Northumberland, Lycoming and others in which they have a majority owe it to the Commonwealth to sink their differences and to unite in support of honest and efficient men for representatives in the next Legislature without regard to the opinions which they may hold on the question of free silver coinage.

The first consideration is to secure the Commonwealth from the brigandage to which it has been subjected in the Legislature under Machine Rule. * * *

Suppose the Democrats of Pennsylvania, stepping upon the Wanamaker platform on State issues as laid down in his Lancaster speech, should nominate for Governor such a man as Wayne MacVeagh, George A. Jenks, Judge Yerks, Judge Gordon, Judge Bucher, Robert E. Pattison, Simon P. Wolverton or some other honest and incorruptible man of like standing and character; how could patriotic, State-loving, law-abiding citizens afford to stand aloof, or to vote against any one of them for Mr. Quay's nominee?

Our Relations With Spain.

The following is a synopsis of events as they have transpired during the week:

NEWS OF WEDNESDAY.

Important overtures from Spain looking toward peace and a fuller measure of liberty for Cuba were outlined yesterday. Premier Sagasta simply asks a halt in war preparations, so that Cuba's elections may proceed uninfluenced thereby. In that event a satisfactory solution of the Cuban question is promised. In case of failure and a Weylerite uprising, Spain would welcome our intervention.

Premier Sagasta has declined to wage a hot campaign against filibusters sent from the United States to Cuba, and not to rely wholly on Uncle Sam for this work. To this end another flotilla is expected to sail from Cadiz.

NEWS OF THURSDAY.

A change in the turn of affairs between the United States and Spain has been made by the presentation to the State Department at Washington of the views of the Spanish cabinet on the war preparations of this country, including the assembling of a large fleet at Key West. It is declared by Spain that these measures encourage the Cuban insurgents and tend to defeat the policy of autonomy recently put in operation on the island.

The cruiser Montgomery has been ordered to leave Havana and go to Key West. The dispatch boat Fern will take her place at Havana.

An agreement has been reached between the War and Navy Departments for the conversion of the Tortugas into one of the most important military and naval stations of the government. The President has allotted $500,000 out of the emergency fund for this purpose.

Secretary of War Alger has made requisition on the President for the allotment of $5,000,000 from the national defense fund for the completion of fortifications on the Atlantic and Gulf coasts.

The *Imparcial*, a Madrid newspaper, scores Consul-General Lee, and asks if Spain is too timid to ask for his recall.

The financial press of Madrid states that a good showing in the government's finances has been made since Senor Sagasta became premier and that if another loan is needed it can be raised easily.

A semi-official statement, issued in Madrid, says: "It is useless to talk of the sale of Cuba."

Senor Sandoval, Spanish military agent, is negotiating for the purchase of old and slow steamers of the North German Lloyd Line. It is presumed that they are to be used as transports.

Contracts have been signed for the purchase of the Brazilian warships Amazonas and Admiral Abroulli by the United States. Spain was an active bidder for these vessels up to the last moment.

NEWS OF SATURDAY.

A dispatch from Madrid states that General Blanco will soon begin an extensive campaign in Cuba designed to destroy the power of the insurgents. This is supposed to be intended as an answer to the criticism that Spain cannot control Cuba.

Instructions to the Spanish torpedo flotilla to remain at the Canary Islands are stated to be due to a desire to have a cruiser sent to escort the vessels to Cuba.

A special cablegram from Havana says that city was more wrought up last night than for a month past. The developments of the next three days may be important.

Havana papers accuse the United States of bad faith in dealing with Spain.

General Weyler denies the authenticity of the alleged letter in which he was made to intimate that he was concerned in a plot to blow up any American warship sent to Havana.

A dispatch from Washington states that the report of the Maine court of inquiry is not expected in that city before the middle of the week.

NEWS OF SUNDAY.

President McKinley will act this week. He has determined not to arbitrate the Maine incident. Neither will he place any more reliance in autonomy for Cuba, but is determined on the independence of the Island. He may, further, regard the sending of torpedo fleets by Spain to Cuba as a casus belli and send a squadron to intercept and capture them. General Blanco has advised Spain against the sending of torpedo boats. Spain's Queen Regent has applied to Austria and Germany for help, but has been refused. The chances are that we will get the battleship O'Higgins from Chile and the cruiser San Martino from Argentine Republic.

NEWS OF MONDAY.

The President has decided to keep Congress in session and take prompt steps for intervention and the settling of the Maine incident. He knows that the explosion was from the outside. The House Naval Appropriation bill, to be reported to-day, is the largest of its kind, proposing the expenditure of $40,000,000, and provides for the construction of three battleships, six torpedo boats, six torpedo boat destroyers, one gunboat and five dry docks, including one at League Island. Inside of a few weeks there will be 33 United States war ships at the North Atlantic Station massed for defense. All ships are ordered home, except those near the Philipines, Spain's islands in the Pacific. Commander Brownson and Theodore H. Cramp visited Armstrong's shipyard at Newcastle-on-Tyne, yesterday, and the commander ordered work on the Almirante Arbruella, one of our new cruisers, pushed. The rebels have refused General Pando's plan for autonomy, believing that the present crisis will lead to their independence.

Mr. Pattison a Candidate.

Mr. Garman Thinks the State Convention Will be Held in Harrisburg on June 29.

Chairman Garman, of the Democratic State committee, while in Harrisburg recently, was asked as to the probable time and place for the next convention of the party for the nomination of candidates for Governor, Lieutenant Governor and other State offices. He said it would likely be held the week before or the week after the Fourth of July. Communication with members of the State committee had led him to the belief that June 29 would be designated as the time of meeting. Harrisburg, Reading and Allentown had been mentioned as places for the holding of the convention, but, as Harrisburg is the headquarters of the party, it would doubtless be selected.

While Mr. Garman, as chairman of the Democratic State committee, did not feel at liberty to talk as to the probable nominee of the party for Governor, it is understood that the political advisability of the placing of Ex-Governor Pattison at the head of the Democratic ticket is being frequently mentioned to him.

All reports agree that Ex-Governor Pattison is very strong with the people of Pennsylvania, and that, in the disorganized condition of the Republican party, he would stand a good chance to win a victory next November for himself and the remaining Democratic candidates for State offices.

The Story of a Sword.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 15.—Governor Hastings is in receipt of a letter from Major William M. Robbins, formerly of the Fourth Alabama Regiment, Confederate soldiers informing him that he has, after a search of years, finally located the sword of Lieutenant Howard Petriken, of Bellefonte, Pa., who, as an officer of Company E, Fifth Pennsylvania Reserves, was killed on the night before the battle of Antietam and died in Robbins' arms in the Confederate lines.

Major Robbins restored the dead man's watch to his family, and for over 35 years has been hunting his sword, which he finally found in the possession of a comrade in Texas, who willingly sent it to him for Lieutenant Petriken's sister, who resides in Bellefonte.

Pennsylvania's Capitol.

The State Supreme Court has affirmed the decision of the Dauphin County Court, which has refused to grant an injunction to restrain the building commission from awarding contracts for the erection of the State capitol. The injunction was sought by the Governor and other State officials, who contended that the commission should complete the erection of a capitol building with the $550,000 appropriated by the Legislature.

According to the plans of the commission, they intended to erect only the main part of a building for the immediate use of the Legislature, leaving the erection of certain wings and additions to be provided by appropriations by future Legislatures. The commission will now proceed with the erection of the building in accordance with this plan.

Arendtsville Items.

MARCH 21.—Mr. Daniel Wingard has a sweet pumpkin of 1896, that is sound and perfect yet.

Mr. John Hartman, Jr., shot a blue fish crane that measured six feet across the wings.

Last Friday morning about 2 o'clock Mr. Frank Smith's large bank barn, in Menallen township, was discovered to be on fire and was consumed with all its contents, except one horse and a few articles of farm machinery. He lost two good mules, eight head of horned cattle, 15 sheep, about 100 chickens, 35 tons hay, a lot of corn fodder, 400 bushels of oats, 500 bushels of ears of corn, two good wagons and all his harness. The loss is about $2,500, on which there is a small insurance in the Mummasburg Fire Insurance Company. The origin of the fire is not known.

P. E. Raffensperger made a business trip to Harrisburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Spangler paid their son, Dr. H. A. Spangler, a visit at Carlisle last week.

The grain is looking well in this vicinity.

If the mild weather, such as we have had for the last ten days, continues a few days longer the peach and apricot trees will be in blossom.

Stock has been bringing excellent prices at the spring sales: cows from $40 to $60, horses, $100 and $110, sheep from $4 to $10. P.

Littlestown Items.

MARCH 21.—At Hon. C. H. Duttera's sale on Tuesday last horses brought from $113.00 down; cows from $57.75 down, and other things accordingly. The sale amounted to $2,262 and some cents.

Willie Switzer met with what might have been a fatal accident about a week ago. He mounted a bicycle at the square and had not proceeded far when in crossing a place where the ground had been dug up for a water pipe, he was thrown violently forward to the ground and severely hurt. At first his case was considered hopeless, but at the present time he is up and is expected to recover.

On Thursday morning Wm. H. Sharette, Esq., received a telegram of the death, the evening previous, of his mother-in-law in Texas. The lady was nearly 66 years old.

On Saturday last, Wm. H. Sharette, as assignee of Bucher Bros., sold the real estate of said Bucher Bros., at public sale for $785, in advance of a dower lien of $1,133 33, to Jos. H. Bucher. W.

Barlow Items.

MARCH 21.—The home of Mr. Jacob E. Sharetts and wife, of Cumberland township, was the scene of a very enjoyable surprise party on Tuesday evening, March 15. The occasion was for his oldest son, Beard, on the part of his many friends, to have one more social gathering with him before he would depart for his new home in Illinois. After they had enjoyed themselves with pleasant conversation for a short time, they were invited to the festal room where all did ample justice.

At a suitable hour, after wishing Beard good night and success in his new undertaking and many pleasures in his new home in Illinois, all returned to their homes. Those present were: David Maring and wife, Jacob Haverstock and wife, James H. Reaver and wife, Mrs. Levi Weikert, Misses Sallie Walker, Carrie and Dorish Sharetts, Elsie and Mame Haverstock, Verna Weikert, Lottie Maring, Gertie and Myrtle Reaver, Messrs. O. B. and Maurice Sharetts, Charles W. Black, Samuel and Charles Weikert, John W. and A. Walker, Emory and Luther Haverstock, Howard and Arthur Maring, Paul and Lake Reaver, and Harry Cluts.

Messrs. Oliver and Beard Sharetts, and John W. Walker, of Cumberland township, left last Thursday, March 17, for Dickson, Illinois, where they will work on a farm.

The public schools of Cumberland township, will close this week.

L. Mizell is sawing lumber for the new barn for F. S. Cromer, of this place.

The Sunday School will reorganize next Sunday morning at Mt. Joy, at 9 o'clock. Preaching at 10 o'clock.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at Mountjoy Lutheran church on Sunday morning, April 10, at 10 o'clock. Preparatory services the Saturday previous at 2 o'clock p. m., by Rev. G. W. Minnick, pastor.

Jesse Clapsaddle, of this place, is on the sick list. J. P. S.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.—The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale at Codori's Drug Store 1y

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Here and There.

Carlisle pays its chief of police $40 per month and its patrolmen $35.

The Reading ore banks, at Boiling Springs, are running night and day and an excellent quality of hemite ore is being mined.

Dispatches from all parts of California indicate that frosts which have prevailed for several mornings last week did great damage to the more tender varieties of fruit.

York has 45 churches. The Lutherans lead with nine congregations.

Jere. Carl, Charles M. Billmeyer and William F. Weiser, of York, intend taking an extensive trip through England. They will depart early in July.

It is stated in Carlisle on good authority that the promotion of the sugar beet factory enterprise has been successful and that between four and five hundred farmers have signed contracts to each plant an acre of sugar beets as an experiment. It is also said conclusively that the site of the new factory has been awarded to Carlisle.

Ephraim Bender, aged about sixty years, while walking on the tracks of the Dillsburg branch of the Cumberland Valley Railroad Tuesday, became confused by trains moving on the main and side tracks and was run down, the wheels severing an arm and leg, besides causing other severe wounds. He was removed to his home in Mechanicsburg, where he died a few hours afterward.

Perry county millers buy grain in Cumberland county and haul it across the mountains for less money than it can be bad in their home county.

The stockholders of the Pennsylvania Chatauqua have decided to increase the association's indebtedness $6,000 for the purpose of erecting a new hotel and constructing a system of sewerage on their Mt. Gretna grounds and also upon the creation of a sinking fund to pay the old debt of $8,900, by using one-half the cash received for building lots. The new debt is redeemable in five years and payable in 10 years, bearing 5 per cent.

The Canton, Ohio, High school girls, who recently organized themselves into an anti-cigarette league, have furthered their organization. Some admirer in Evansville, Ind., sent them an ordinance in force there, placing an annual license of $500 on the sale of cigarettes, and now the girls want to add this agent to moral maxim and the boycott of soda fountains in places where cigarettes are sold. They have made a formal inquiry to the city solicitor as to the constitutionality of such an ordinance, and if his answer is favorable the city council will be beseiged. They are also considering the formation of a boy's associate league.

Traders are considering how much longer Leiter can stand under May without coming to the support of new crop months. To do this may mean disaster. Not in years have conditions been as free from crop scares. The whole wheat trade and the whole country have turned bearish. A Western blizzard might change the outlook. The general opinion among speculators is that Leiter with his $40,000,000 behind him can hold May up and possibly get out even. But there will not be the money in it he expected for several days.

It is gratifying to be able to note, writes Dr. Wahl, in the Journal of the Franklin Institute, the steady growth of the beet sugar manufacture, which after numerous efforts in the past now appears to be not only firmly founded, but to be assured of a rapid growth. At the close of last year there were in operation in the United States nine factories, as follows: Rome, N. Y., daily capacity 200 tons of beets; Lehi, Utah, 350 tons; Norfolk, Neb., 350 tons; Grand Island, Neb., 350 tons; Alvarado, Cal., 500 tons, and Watsonville, Cal., 1000 tons.

There is every indication that the State Christian Endeavor Convention to be held in Harrisburg next October will be the largest gathering of the kind ever held in Pennsylvania. Preparations are being made for the entertainment of at least five thousand visitors.

The Ministerial Association of Harrisburg has entered upon a crusade against the sale of cigars and tobacco on the Sabbath day, and a resolution has been passed calling upon the Mayor to enforce the laws for the closing of cigar stores and stopping the sale of tobacco and cigars in the drug stores of the city. This movement has been taken up by other towns in the State, and there seems to be a united effort being made for the better observance of the Sabbath day.

The sentence of the two Indian girls who tried to burn the Carlisle School, has been reduced from eighteen months in penitentiary to a year in jail.

During the Cattlemen's convention at Fort Worth, Tex., stock to the value of $2,000,000 changed hands.

Ida Kahn, a Chinese woman who recently graduated from Ann Arbor University after six years of study, has just returned to her native town, Kin Kiang, to practice medicine. She is China's first woman doctor.

The personal property of the Carlisle Manufacturing Company, consisting of material and work on hand at the car shops, was sold by the Sheriff last Friday for about $14,000.

Cadet Geo. Mason Lee, son of General Fitzhugh Lee, Consul General at Havana, Cuba, is in the cadet hospital suffering from a broken arm, which he sustained while vaulting a wooden horse in the gymnasium.

Mr. Alexander Doyle, the noted sculptor who designed and is at work on the Francis Scott Key Monument, which will be unveiled in Frederick in June next, was in that city on Monday and Tuesday last, conferring with the committee on the site, plan of ceremonies, etc. He made some valuable suggestions to the committee and stated that his work would be completed in ample time. President McKinley is expected to be present.

The residence of James Winters, several miles south of Shippensburg, was destroyed by fire at an early hour on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Winters had gone to town some time during the afternoon to do some shopping, leaving their children at home to take care of the house. During their absence the children attempted to start a fire in a stove with coal oil, from which it is supposed the fire started. The children all escaped, but only a few pieces of furniture were saved.

Cadet Lieutenant Edwin D. Bricker, first class at West Point Military Academy, was seriously injured Wednesday. He and a daughter of Captain Parker were out horseback riding, and while coming down the mountain road a mile west of Highland Falls the cadet's horse ran away. He was thrown violently against a stone wall and rendered unconscious. He is a son of Mr. W. H. Bricker, of Chambersburg. It is assured his injuries will not prove serious.

The *Chester County Democrat*, published weekly at West Chester, Pa., and the only Democratic paper in that populous and wealthy county, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, the 29th, inst., at 2 o'clock p. m. The paper does a good business, has a profitable job office annex, and is only sold because of the death of the late proprietor, Capt. George R. Guss. The chances are that it will go cheap.

Grave reports as to the condition of Mr. Gladstone are received, fully confirming the recent information on the subject. The affection of his nose has, unhappily, made dangerous progress, and, according to an opinion expressed by an eminent specialist, the Grand Old Man's constitution is now hopelessly undermined by suffering and sleeplessness.

An Open Letter to Mothers.

We are asserting in the courts our right to the exclusive use of the word "CASTORIA," and "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," as our Trade Mark.

I, Dr. Samuel Pitcher, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER on every wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA" which has been in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years. Look Carefully at the wrapper and see that it is *the kind you have always bought*, and has the signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except the Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President. SAMUEL PITCHER, M. D.

March 7, 1897.

From Cashtown.

MARCH 21.—Luther Busbey's smoke-house was robbed on the night of March 11th, and 4 hams and 4 shoulders taken. There were 2 more hams in the smoke-house, but were hanging back further and no doubt were not seen or they too would have gone. He tracked the thieves toward Orrtanna.

Wash. Saum and family, who have lived in Illinois for 15 or more years, have moved in with Mrs. Saum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Geyer, near Hilltown. Mr. Saum intends to do Mrs. Geyer's farming.

Geo. J. Beck, of McKnightstown, and James Lauver, of near Willow Grove, both received original pensions the last week, $6 per month, with some back pay.

H. L. Bream sold a tract of timberland, being a tract of the Kuhn land above Willow Grove along the pike, to Mary S. Powell.

Samuel Baumgardner also sold his one-half interest in a tract of timberland in Hamiltonban township, to H. L. Spence, who owns the other half.

Henry H. Hassler has gone to spend a week with his son in Philadelphia.

Jacob Deardorff, our accommodating landlord, is building an addition to his hotel in Cashtown, to give him more room, which he greatly needs to accommodate his increasing trade.

Stock is bringing good prices at sales in this community this spring.

Geo. Schwartz intends to remodel the Creamery building in Cashtown and turn it into a dwelling. S.

Many a needless tragedy results from over-wrought nerves. Women, who have everything to live for, seek death; other women who might be happy, exist in constant misery with nerves strained almost to the snapping point by some disease or derangement peculiar to their sex. They fail to realize, perhaps, what is the cause of all their wretchedness and weakness. Or they shrink from the ordinary method of "local treatment," which is after all generally useless.

All women should know that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a perfect unfailing specific for their delicate ailments. It cures naturally and scientifically by removing the internal source of the difficulty. It restores health and strength both to the special organism and the entire nervous system. It is the most wonderful builder-up of energy and nerve force for young women and prospective mothers.

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MISS PEGGY TURNER, aged 107 years, died last Tuesday night at her home in West Lampeter, Lancaster county. She is believed to have been the oldest resident in the State and was never outside of the county. Only once was she on the cars, when she took a trip of three and a half miles from that city to Rohrerstown.

ALMOST every man in America has some digestive trouble. When men meet, the greeting usually is, "Well, how are you?" That develops health talk. The man who has no bowel or stomach trouble is almost a curiosity. Trouble is men take no care of themselves. They eat as though they had copper stomachs and bowels of brass. By and by, over-worked nature rebels. Then comes headaches, nervousness, bad blood, liver and kidney troubles. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets furnish help for constipation and torpid liver, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, indigestion, or dyspepsia, windy belchings, "heartburn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements the liver, stomach and bowels. Accept no substitutes.

A HORSE fell into Goodyear Brothers lime kiln, at Carlisle, Monday week. A platform was constructed and vain efforts were made to extricate the animal. Then an ingenious individual "suggested that they fill up the kiln with corn fodder which was done. At the same time the horse was kept tramping around until the kiln was filled to such an extent as to allow him to step out."

REV. E. EDWARDS, pastor of the English Baptist church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale at Codori's Drug Store.

A FARMER in the northern end of Berks county, who is about retiring from the business, has taken such a radical step that it is one of the leading subjects of discussion in half a dozen townships. In order to dispose of his stock he will hold a public sale, or "vendue," and at the same time he has given notice that he will not serve free meals to all who come. This is an innovation at the regulation Berks county sale. For three generations Berks county "vendues" and free meals have gone hand-in-hand. These sales are now of daily occurrence, and they are attended by anywhere from 1,000 to 2,000 people, and some by even more. All these are fed by the farmer who is selling out.—*Ex.*

"I CONTRACTED a severe cold from wet and exposure. Bronchitis followed. Doctors failed to relieve me. Several of the members of my family had died of consumption, and I thought I was doomed. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup brought instant relief and perfect cure." M. Unger, Union Corner, Northumberland Co., Pa.

AN exchange says J. Wesley Evans, of Baltimore, has leased the W. M. R. R. milk stations at Shippensburg, Millbrook, Gettysburg, Fairview and Chambersburg and others to be built along the line.

WHO can fail to take advantage of this offer. Send 10 cents to us for a generous trial size or ask your druggist. Ask for Ely's Cream Balm, the most positive catarrh cure. Full size 50 cents.

ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. city.

I suffered from catarrh of the worst kind ever since a boy, and I never hoped for cure, but Ely's Cream Balm seems to do even that. Many acquaintances have used it with excellent results.—Oscar Ostrum, 45 Warren Ave., Chicago, Ill.

THE young colored citizens of York are organizing a company to enter the volunteer service in case of war with Spain. Any young colored man not debarred by physical or other defect may enroll in the organization.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.—This remedy is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and influenza. It has become famous for its cures of these diseases, over a large part of the civilized world. The most flattering testimonials have been received, giving accounts of its good works; of the aggravating and persistent coughs it has cured; of severe colds that have yielded promptly to its soothing effects, and of the dangerous attacks of croup it has cured, often saving the life of the child. The extensive use of it for whooping cough has shown that it robs that disease of all dangerous consequences. Sold at Codori's Drug Store.

SPECIAL TO THE GENTLEMEN.—We have secured a little lot of the newest effects in Gingham and Madras shirts, with stiff separable collars and without collars. Genuine 75 ct. value. Our price for this lot, 50 cts.

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Pure, giving it power
To feed the nerves.
Hood's Sarsaparilla
Cures nervousness,
Dyspepsia, rheumatism,
Catarrh, scrofula,
And all forms of
Impure blood.

AT the public sale of Albert Kauffman, of Hellam township, York county, last week farm stock brought good prices. Fifteen cows averaged $17; horses sold at from $128 to $149; mules at $214 to $229 per pair; bull calves 18 months old at $44 to $48, and Plymouth Rock chickens at from 46 cents to $1.30. The total amount realized was $2,262.80.

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THE herd of fifty-five cows of George Baker, near Avondale, Chester county, were inspected and forty-two of them found to be afflicted with tuberculosis and condemned to be killed. There is a general examination now going on among the cows throughout the State.

PEOPLE can't be good natured, can't be pleasant, if they have Itching Piles. Doan's Ointment will make any sufferer from this plague of the night happy. It gives instant relief, and permanent cure.

WILLIS HERSHEY, of Mechanicsburg, had his coat catch in a rapidly revolving machine at which he was working. All his clothing but his shirt was torn from his body, and he escaped with but a few bruises.

I HAVE been afflicted with rheumatism for fourteen years and nothing seemed to give any relief. I was able to be around all the time, but constantly suffering. I had tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did, and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured. I am happy to say that it has not since returned. Josh. Edgar, Germantown, Cal. For sale at Codori's Drug Store.

LAW-ABIDING citizens of Skaguay, Alaska, have ordered gamblers to stop playing or leave town.

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By examination of the late Act of the Legislature, approved May, 19th, A. D., 1893, it will be seen that all Deeds and Conveyances made and executed after the passage of this Act, *SHALL* be recorded in the office for the Recording of Deeds, etc. within ninety days, or else be adjudged fraudulent and void as to any subsequent purchaser.

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THE GETTYSBURG CANNING FACTORY will be operated this Summer to its full capacity, and all farmers desiring Seed from the Company will leave their orders with any one of the undersigned Directors, or their Attorney. The Seed will be ready for distribution on the 2d day of March, at the warehouse of J. O. Blocher, in Gettysburg.

AMOS SILLICK, JOHN A. LIVERS, G. W. WEAVER, WM. B. McILHENNY, PIUS A. MILLER, Directors.

CHAS. S. DUNCAN, Attorney. Feb. 22, 1898. tf

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

DAVID LITTLE'S ESTATE.—Letters of Administration on estate of DAVID LITTLE, late of Mountpleasant twp., Adams co., Pa., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in same twp., she hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement. ABIGAIL LITTLE, Feb. 22, 1898. 6t Administratrix.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

JOHN MINTER'S ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of JOHN MINTER, late of Butler township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in same twp., they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

HANNAH MINTER, W. F. MINTER, Mar. 8, 1898. 6t Executors.

Straban Twp. Road Accounts.

ACCOUNT OF JOHN DECKER, Supervisor for Straban township, for the year 1897.

DR.	
Amount of duplicate	$513 88
Special tax	205 75
Received of the Austin Co.	2 75
	$752 38
CR.	
Work done by tax-payers	$114 68
Supervisor's wages	187 65
Exoneration on road and special	4 08
Per cent. for collection	2 79
Expenses for road supplies	67 29
For collecting special tax	10 28
Expenses for settlement	7 25
Publishing account	2 00
Note and Interest to J. C. Austin	55 78
Paid to Geo. F. Trimmer	51 16
	$836 26
	752 38
Balance due John Decker	$83 88

ACCOUNT OF J. F. BELL, Supervisor of the township of Straban, for the year 1897.

DR.	
Amount of duplicate	$736 64
Amount of special duplicate	275 20
Received of the Austin Co.	2 75
	$1,014 61
CR.	
Work done by tax-payers	$758 12
Supervisors wages	127 50
Exonerations	5 44
" on special	1 05
Per cent. for collecting	1 03
" on special	13 70
Expenses for road supplies	62 50
" for settlement	7 27
Publishing account	2 00
Note and interest of J. C. Austin	55 78
Paid G. F. Trimmer (Com'r Supt.)	51 16
Clerk of Court fees	25
Due Supervisor from 1896	219 92
	$1,331 09
	1,014 61
Balance due J. F. Bell, Super.	$319 48

March 11, 1898, we, the undersigned Auditors of Straban township, have examined the above accounts and find them correct to the best of our belief.

WM. F. FLEMING, W. H. ECKERT, J. C. LIVELSPERGER, Auditors.

JOHN BREAM, Clerk. Mar. 15, 1898. 3t*

Hamiltonban Twp. Road Accounts.

ACCOUNT of HENRY HERRING, Supervis'r.

DR.	
To 1896 taxes	$199 10
Duplicate 1897	720 58
Tax transferred from Singley	18 44
	$938 12
CR.	
By work 1896	[illegible]
" 1897	[illegible]
Labor and expenses	[illegible] 07
Tax transferred to Singley	2 56
Exonerations	[illegible]
Uncollected taxes	251 19
Expenses of settlement	[illegible]
Cash on hand	5 10
	[illegible] 12

ACCOUNT of WM. SINGLEY, Supervisor.

DR.	
To 1896 taxes	$101 00
Duplicate 1897	[illegible]
Tax transferred from Herring	2 56
Cash received from Herring to pay interest to Brown	5 00
	[illegible]
CR.	
By work 1896	[illegible]
" 1897	[illegible]
Supervisor's wages	[illegible]
Exonerations	[illegible]
Expenses	[illegible]
Taxes transferred to Herring	[illegible]
Error in Baltzley tax	[illegible]
Expenses of settlement	[illegible]
Cash paid to Brown	[illegible]
Interest paid to Brown	[illegible]
Uncollected tax	[illegible]
Cash on hand	[illegible]
	[illegible]

Audited and settled this 8th day of March, 1898. D. F. BENNER, C. P. BREAM, Auditors.

GEO. W. ROCKWELL, Clerk. Mar. 15, 1898. 3t

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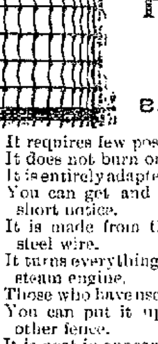

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EICHOLTZ & BENNER, AGENTS, GETTYSBURG, PENNA.

Mar. 1, 1898. 2m*

THE MARKETS.

GETTYSBURG.

Corrected by J. Geo. Wolf's Sons.

Flour	$ @ 4 75
Wheat	91
Fultz Wheat	88
Rakings	75
Corn	28@30
Rye	40@45
Oats, now	22 @ 25
Flax-seed	95 @ 1 00
Timothy-seed	1 00
Clover-seed	03
Buckwheat	35
Rye Straw	6 00
Hay	8 00 @ 10 50
RETAIL PRICES.	
Wheat Bran	90 per 100
C and O Chop	80 " 100
Rye Chop	100 " 100
Flour	5 00 " bbl
Western Flour	5 50 " "
Oats	50 " bu
Corn	35 " "
Wheat	1 10 " "
BALTIMORE.	
Flour	$ 5 00 @ 5 50
Wheat	@ 1 01
Rye	54
Corn	28 @ 30
Oats	20 @ 24
Hogs per hundred, dead	3 00 @ 00
Cattle beef per hundred, live	3 50 @ 00

SHERIFF'S SALE.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of MAR., 1898, in pursuance of a writ of Fieri Facias, issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, and to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court-house, in the borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., the following Real Estate, viz:

The Defendant's One-half Interest in a LOT OF GROUND, situate in Germany township, Adams county, Pa., fronting on the road from Kingsdale to Menges' Mill, adjoining lands of Wm. Sharretts and John Shildt, containing 1 ACRE, more or less, improved with a Two-story Frame Weatherboarded HOUSE, Out-kitchen attached, Smoke House, Coal Shed, Frame Stable, Hog Pen, Chicken House, Fruit Trees, Well of Water.—Seized and taken into execution as the property of ANNA E. HARNER, and to be sold by me.

FRANK M. MILLER, Sheriff.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales by the Sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or, upon failure to comply therewith, the property will be put up again for sale.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg. Mar. 8, '98. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 29, 1898, the undersigned will sell in Table Rock, the following:

3 Head of HOGS, 12 are Brood Sows, 3 fine Poland China, 1 Red Jersey, 1 Berkshire, 2 Chesters, and balance are cross between Berkshire and Poland China, 1 will have pigs by time of sale, balance in April, 11 Shoats, from 40 to 60 lbs., white and black; 18 tons of Mill Feed, about 8 tons of Corn and Oats Chop, 4 tons of Rye, Oats and Corn Chop, 2 tons of Rye Chop, 7 tons of Middlings, 500 bushels of Corn in the ear. Some Flour will also be offered. Sale to commence at 12:30 o'clock, sharp.

R. B. MYERS.

Jacob Meckley, D. of D., Auct. Mar. 15, '98. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 2d day of APRIL, 1898, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, on York street, Gettysburg, Pa., the following Personal Property, viz:

3 HORSES, one Bay Mare, Nancy, perfect family beast, will be sold at 1.30 sharp; 4 Buggies, 2 Surreys, 2 Buggy Spreads, Stick Wagon, 2 good 4-seated Hacks, good Chair Wagon, 3 Spring Wagons, Two-horse Wagon, 3 Carts and Gears, 2 sets Front Gears, set One-horse Gears, 7 sets Single Harness, Double Harness, 2 pair heavy Traces and Hames, Check Lines, Bridles, Collars, Halters, Blankets, Lap Robes, Forks, Log Chain, big lot of Old Iron, and other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, p. m., sharp. SAMUEL HERBST, Mar. 15, '98. ts J. M. Caldwell, Auct.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON MONDAY, the 28th day of MARCH, 1898, the Heirs of MRS. ELIZA KIME, dec'd, will sell at Public Sale, at her late residence, on Carlisle street extended, Gettysburg, Pa., the following Personal Property, viz:

1 WEAVER ORGAN, good as new, good Parlor Suit, Singer Sewing Machine, good as new, Lounge, Cook Stove and Fixtures, Double Heater, Parlor Stove, good as new, Buffet, Sink, 2 Dinner Tables, Extension Table, 6 Cane-seated Chairs, 12 Wood Chairs, 3 Rocking Chairs, Sideboard, good Clock, 5 Bedsteads, 3 Stands, 5 Curtain Poles, Iron Kettle, Three-legged Meat Bench, Chest, 50 yds. of Brussels and Rag Carpet, set of Bed Springs, Half-bushel Measure, Bushel Baskets, Wheelbarrow, Dung Fork, 25 bushels Corn Nubbins, half ton Nut Coal, 1 cord Split Wood, and other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, p. m., when attendance will be given and terms made known by THE HEIRS OF ELIZA KIME, dec'd., Carlisle St., extended.

S. H. Eicholtz, Clerk. Mar. 15, 1898. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

ON THURSDAY, the 24th day of MARCH, 1898, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, near Biglerville, on farm of Amos Sillik, all of his Stock, Farm Implements and Household Goods, consisting of

5 Head of HORSES; 1 head of Milk Cows, 1 Bull; 2 Brood Sows; 2 four-horse wagons, 1 two-horse spring wagon, 2 buggies, sleigh, mower, good as new, horse rake, spring harrow, corn cultivator, 2 corn forks, single shovel plow, 2 barshear plows, horse gears, log and other chains, pair hay carriages, double and singletrees, corn in the ear by the bushel, potatoes, barrel of cider vinegar, iron kettle, wash tubs, meat, hams and shoulders, lard, tin and queensware, dishes, &c., 90 yds. carpet, 2 cook stoves, ten-plate stove, 2 dining tables, stand, bedsteads and bedding, and many other household goods not named. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m., when attendance will be given and terms made known by CHARLES MORITZ.

Jas. Taylor, Auct. C. P. K. Walter, Clerk. Feb. 22, 1898. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 23d day of MARCH, 1898, the undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, in Franklin township, Adams Co., Pa., on the Chambersburg and Gettysburg turnpike, ½ mile west of Seven Stars, the following Personal Property, viz:

2 HEAD OF WORK HORSES, consisting of one sorrel Horse 6 years old, work wherever hitched and one brown, the other is a Bay Mare 6 years old, work wherever hitched and a good driver; 4 Head of Milch Cows, all fall cows, consisting of 1 Jersey, the balance are all crossed with Jersey, and all good cows, 2 yearling Heifers crossed with Jersey, 1 Brood Sow, with 9 pigs which will be weaned till day of sale; 2 wagons, one 3-inch tread suitable for 2 or 3 horses, one 2-inch tread, 1 box for wagon for two horses, with bed, 1 pair wood ladders, pair hay carriages 16 ft. long, 1 sled, in a good condition, Bench and Droungold corn cultivator, spring harrow, spike harrow, road cart, Mt. Joy plow, for 2 or 3 horses, Oliver chilled No. 40, Penn's Mower, horse gears, breast chains, collars, bridles, six-horse line, plow line, wagon saddle, in good order, single, double and triple trees, spreader, log, breast, butt and cow chains, iron stone, pitch forks, manure hook, 3 Fairbank milk cans, dinner bell, lard press, lot old iron and other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, m., sharp, when terms and conditions will be made known by ADAM BUCHER, Ag't.

Geo. Martz, Auct. J. W. Settle, Clerk. Mar. 1, 1898. ts

REPORT

OF the condition of the "GETTYSBURG NATIONAL BANK," at Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Feb. 18, 1898.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	$625,179 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,111 31
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	145,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	8,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc	25,000 00
Banking house, furniture & fixtures	11,221 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	863 47
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,490 28
Due from approved reserve agents	67,295 05
Notes of other national banks	1,900 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	81 07
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	26,310 00
Legal-tender notes	7,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	6,525 00
Total	$923,171 54
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$115,150 00
Surplus fund	90,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	18,551 18
National bank notes outstanding	129,010 00
Due to other national banks	2,281 20
Due to State banks and bankers	2,865 18
Dividends unpaid	109 50
Individual deposits subject to check	191,898 31
Demand certificates of deposit	364,095 10
Total	$923,171 54

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, SS.

I, J. EMORY BAIR, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. EMORY BAIR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of Feb., 1898. WM. P. QUINBY, N.P.

CORRECT—Attest: H. P. BIGHAM, JNO. B. McPHERSON, WM. McSHERRY, JR., Directors.

Mar. 8, 1898. 3t

REPORT

OF the condition of the "FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GETTYSBURG," at Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, Feb. 18, 1898.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	$547,200 65
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	90 50
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1,200 00
Banking-house, furniture, & fixtures	12,700 00
Other real estate & mortgages own'd.	800 00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve agents)	745 91
Due from approved reserve agents	117,112 01
Checks and other cash items	486 39
Notes of other National Banks	7,173 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	26 80
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	28,221 50
Legal-tender notes	6,520 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,125 00
Total	$748,699 36
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus fund	80,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	21,559 35
National Bank notes outstanding	22,500 00
Due to other National Banks	9,231 89
Due to State Banks and Bankers	8,497 86
Dividends unpaid	217 00
Individual deposits subject to check	154,101 10
Demand certificates of deposit	352,560 06
Total	$748,699 36

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, SS.

I, SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of Mar., 1898. R. E. CULP, N. P.

CORRECT—Attest: JOHN THRONE, ALEX. SPANGLER, J. L. BUTT, Directors.

Mar. 8, 1898. 3t

$1,000 REWARD!

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN.—A man the size of a woman, barefooted, with a pair of wooden shoes on, pink eyes and sunset colored hair, the latter cut curly and the former cut darker. He wore a corned-beef overcoat with sourkrout lining, and had an empty sack on his back containing a barrel of sky-lights and one half dozen assorted railroad tunnels.

When last seen he was following the crowd to NICHOLAS MILLER'S Boot and Shoe Store, at Mummasburg, for men's fine Shoes at 24 a pair, misses' Shoes 75 cts., Ladies' Oxford Ties 50 cts; Table Oil Cloth, 1¼ yards wide, at 15 cents a yard; Brooms 10 c.; Bristle Whitewash Brushes 15c.; Clothes Brushes 10 c.; Coffee 10 c. a lb.; 25 Sheets of Paper and 25 Envelopes for 10 c.; Flour of Sulphur 5 c. a lb., or 25 lbs. for $1; Clark's O. N. T. Spool Cotton, two Spools for 5 c.; Cake Stands 19 c.; Babbitt's Lye, three cans for 25 cts.

NICHOLAS MILLER, Mar. 15, 1898. 6t* Mummasburg.

NOTICE.

SIMON J. CODORI having disposed of his business to his son WILLIAM F. CODORI, has placed his accounts with the undersigned for settlement. All persons whom he owes will please present their claims for payment; and all who owe him will please call and settle with WM. McSHERRY, JR., Attorney for Simon J. Codori, Gettysburg, Pa. Mar. 8, 1898. tf

PUBLIC SALE.

ON FRIDAY, the 25th day of MARCH, 1898, the undersigned, Executors of VALENTINE FROCK, deceased, will sell at Public Sale, at his late residence, in Cumberland township, 1 mile West of Gettysburg, on the Fairfield road, the following Personal Property, viz:

6 Head of HORNED CATTLE, consisting of 5 fine Milk Cows, one Bull 2½ years old, one Heifer; 2 two-horse wagons, one a Studebaker with bed, spring wagon, pair hay carriages, set dung boards, buggy, spring-tooth hay rake, 2-horse plow, spike harrow, double and single shovel plows, corn forks, Advance mower, grain fan, cutting box, double and single trees, dung, pitch, shaking forks, shovels, mattock, picks, axes, wood and hand saws, lot of horse gears, 2 sets breechbands, set front gears, check lines, plow lines, log, butt, breast, halter and cow chains, grain cradle, mowing scythe, 50 locust posts, lot of locust stakes and plungers, lot of corn, 10 chickens, lot of old iron. Also, Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting of 5 bedsteads and bedding, 3 featherbeds, pillows, comforts, coverlids, lot of carpets, oilcloth, matting, 2 bureaus, 4 tables, 2 washstands, sink, corner cupboard, case of drawers, settee, 2 clocks, 3 stoves, cook stove, ten-plate stove, parlor stove, iron and copper kettles, lot of chairs, 3 rocking chairs, 2 wash bowls and pitchers, lot of dishes, knives and forks, stone jars and crocks, sausage cutter and stuffer, lard press, lard by the lb., seed potatoes, churn, tubs, barrels and kegs, lard cans, desks, and many other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m., sharp, when terms will be made known by

W. H. FROCK, J. E. FROCK, Executors.

E. O. Currens, Auct.

Also, at the same time and place, will be sold the following:

2 Head of HORSES, work wherever hitched; Deering binder, good as new, Hench & Dromgold corn plow, spring harrow, corn planter, falling-top buggy, road cart, basket sleigh and bells, set of harness, saddle and bridle, lot of patent bee hives. J. E. FROCK, T. F. FROCK.

Also, at the same time and place, the following:

3 Head of HORSES, consisting of two good Mares, one with Colt, one Horse rising 3 years old, all work wherever hitched. PHILIP HEMLER.

Also, at the same time and place, the following:

5 Head of HOGS, 2 Brood Sows, will have pigs in April and May. Mar. 8, 1898. ts HORNER ECKERT.

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 26th day of MARCH, 1898, the undersigned, intending to remove to a small farm, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Freedom township, on the road leading from McCleary's school-house to the Stone Church, a mile North of the former place, on the Jacob Kitzmiller farm, all the Personal Property described, viz:

3 Head of HORSES and MULES, one a Sorrel Mare 5 years old, a mare and quiet, will work wherever hitched, will weigh about 1,200 pounds, one pair of Mules 12 years old, weigh 1,800 lbs., gentle and quiet in every respect; 6 head of Horned Cattle, 3 of them are Milk Cows, one will be fresh by day of sale, one the 1st of May, one will come in the last of Sept., Fat Steer, 2 Yearling Heifers, good stock and bred from a Jersey bull, 1 Brood Sows, one of them Poland China, will have a litter of pigs by day of sale, a Chester White Sows, bred from a thoroughbred Chester White Boar, will have pigs in May; 5 head of good Ewes and Lambs; McCormick binder, in No. 1 running order, 2 wagons, one a 4 horse 3-in. tread, home made, and a dandy running wagon, spring wagon for 1 or 2 horses, comparatively new, hay bed 14 ft. long, will hold 100 bushels, pair wood ladders 14 ft. long, new ladders, will hold a cord and a half of wood, new Oliver chilled plow, spring-tooth lever harrow, Syracuse make, corn coverer, 2 corn workers, land roller, single, double and trippletrees, lot of cow chains, horse gears, collars, bridles, halters and chains, 120 feet of pine troughs, for spouting, lot of chickens, Black Spanish and Brown Leghorns, 1-bushel measure, forks, rakes and shovels, mattock. Also, Household Goods, consisting of 1 sewing machine, Howe make, in good running order, 2 bedsteads, single bed and trundle bed, wood box, 2 ten-plate stoves, dinner bell, iron kettle, and many other articles not herein mentioned. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, m., sharp, when terms will be made known and attendance given by W. F. HERBST.

E. O. Currens, Auct. E. A. Seabrook, Clerk. Mar. 8, 1898. ts*

PUBLIC SALE.

ON SATURDAY, the 26th day of MARCH, 1898, the undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, at her residence, on the Chambersburg pike, one mile East of Graefenburg, the following Personal Property, viz:

1 WORK HORSE; 2 Cows and a Heifer; two horse wagon and bed, pair wood ladders, 16 ft. long, pair hay carriages 16 ft. long, spring wagon, 2-seated carriage, slat wagon, Oliver chilled plow for 2 or 3 horses, 3 spider corn plows, single shovel plow, spring harrow, wheelbarrow, cutting box, grindstone, 2 horse sled, 2 sets of breechbands, set cruppers, 3 collars, 3 blind bridles, collar pads, housings, riding saddle, riding bridles, 2 sets Harness, 3 sets fly-nets, 4-horse line, digging iron, single-block, log, tie, butt, breast and cow chains, pair spreaders, double and single trees, picks, shovels, grub hoe, dung hook, dung forks, 2 strings sleigh bells, 28 gal. iron kettle and pot rack, bushel baskets, ½ bu. measure, grain bags, stands, churn and buck, 20 lb. scales, writing desk, corner cupboard, sink, tables, bookcase, ten-plate stove and pipe, fruit drier, bedsteads, shot guns, washing machine, tub, sausage grinder and stuffer, meat saw, lanterns, ¼ barrel of vinegar, cider barrels and boxes, stone crocks, jars, pots and pans, potatoes and turnips by the bushel, cabbage by the head; 1 good Shepherd dog; old iron, and a great many other articles too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m., when terms will be made known by MRS. MARGARET CORWELL.

Geo. J. Martz, Auct. Frank Carbaugh, Clerk. Mar. 15, '98. ts

Public Sale.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 23d day of MARCH, 1898, the undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Straban township, Adams county, Pa., on the Harrisburg road, 2½ miles from Gettysburg, the following Personal Property, viz:

4 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES, consisting of one pair of Black Kentucky Mules 12 years old, good size, both good leaders and will work wherever hitched, one Sorrel Mare 10 years old, will work wherever hitched, a perfect family Mare, a fine Dark Chestnut Sorrel Stallion, 16 hands high, Mohawk Jackson, 15 years old, was sired by Mohawk, Jr., time 2:24, dam Betty A., a Kentucky mare, full pedigree furnished. These horses are fearless of steam or trolley cars; 13 head of Cattle, consisting of 11 milk Cows, two will be fresh by time of sale, two in May, two in September, the rest are winter cows, four of these cows are thoroughbred Holstein-Fresian stock, 2 Holstein-Fresian Bulls, one 2 years old, one 1 year old; 49 head of Hogs and Shoats, consisting of 3 Brood Sows, 1 will have pigs by time of sale, 2 in April, several young sows, 1 good young Boar, the rest are Shoats, mostly Berkshire and Poland China stock; good 2 or 3-horse wagon and bed, 3 inch tread, Brown make, set of hay carriages 16 feet long, set of dung boards, No. 2 Geiser separator, and horse-power, in excellent order, 10-horse-power portable engine, in good order, 120 feet of 4 in. cotton belt, E. F. Michael fanning mill, McCormick mower, 5 ft. cut, in good order, Emperor wire-tooth hay rake, good as new, cutting box, grain cradle, scythe and snath, one Empire grain drill, with phosphate attachment, good as new, sulky corn plow, 2 long plows, one a Boy's Delight, one an Oliver chilled, No. 40, Spider plow, spring harrow, spike harrow, corn planter, Spangler patent, corn coverer, land roller, hay elevator, track, rope and pulleys, hay knife, Genesee Valley corn sheller, for hand or power, stable hook, 3 sets front gears, set of breechbands, collars, bridles, housings, halters, plow-line, check-lines, wagon saddle, wagon whip, 2 sets single harness, fly-nets, single, double and tripple-trees, jockey-sticks, spreader, fifth-chain and spreader, log, breast, butt and cow chains, digging iron, mattock, forks, rakes and shovels, scoop shovel, sledge, good dog, 500 bu. corn in the ear, 250 bu. White Bonanza oats, falling-top buggy. Household Goods, No. 8 cook stove, No. 8 range, parlor stove, large cupboard, lounge, churn and stand, Wilson patent, milk cans and buckets, and other articles not mentioned. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp, when attendance will be given and terms made known by JAMES O. G. WEANER.

G. L. Colestock, Auct. J. B. Slaybaugh, Clerk. Feb. 22, 1898. ts

PUBLIC SALE.

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 29th, 1898, the undersigned intending to quit housekeeping, will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Liberty township, Adams county, Pa., on the road leading from Diehl's Mill to Samuel Eiker's blacksmith shop, the following Personal Property, viz:

2 HORSES, 1 Roan Mare, a good driver and worker, 8 years old, 1 Roan Horse, will work wherever hitched and fearless of steam, 7 years old; 3 milk Cows, good stock, 2 of them fall cows and 1 spring cow; 7 head fine Shoats, 4 Berkshire Sows, 2 Yorkshire Sows, 1 Poland China Sow, will have pigs by time of sale, 1 Yorkshire Boar; 2 wagons, 1 2-horse wagon, 1 spring wagon, will carry 1,600 lbs., 1 dog-cart, in good running order, 1 wheelbarrow, good as new, 1 horserake, 1 mower, 1 good basket sleigh, 1 set of hay carriages, beams 20 ft. long, 2 ladders, 1 26 ft. long, 1 grain cradle, scythe and snath, 1 set crupper gears, good as new. Also, 40 Chickens, some Black Spanish and some Leghorns; winnowing mill, forks, rakes, grindstone, good vinegar barrel, molasses, coal oil and meat barrels, coal oil tank and pump complete, lot of store boxes. Household and Kitchen Furniture, consisting of 3 stoves, 1 cook stove, New Light House, in good order, 1 ten-plate stove and pipe, 1 Hathaway cook stove, 20 crocks of apple butter, 5 bushels early potatoes, also canned fruit, a lot of crocks, 20 yds. good carpets. Also some groceries, as I have been keeping store and am closing out, consisting of coffee, sugar, tobacco, soap and a great many other articles kept in a grocery store. A lot of articles too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp. A credit of 10 months on all sums over $5.

I. G. Harman, Auct. A. F. PLANK.

Also, at the same time and place, the undersigned will sell

1 CLYDESDALE MARE, rising 6 years old, a good worker, 1 head of good milk Cows, will be fresh in May, 2 head of young Cattle, consisting of 1 Jersey Bull and 1 Heifer.

Feb. 22, 1898. ts* HENRY S. COOL.

NOTICE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Maryland Steel Co. vs. Gettysburg Electric Railway Company and the Fidelity Insurance, Trust and Safe Deposit Company. — OCTOBER SESSIONS, 1895, No. 13.

NOTICE is hereby given by order of Court, that on March 1st, 1898, in the said Court, a decree was entered confirming the report of the undersigned, as Trustee, of the sale of the property of the Gettysburg Electric Railway Company and of partial distribution of the proceeds thereof, and that all persons having demands upon the balance of the fund for distribution, namely the sum of $1427.50, or against the purchasers of the said property which are claimed to be prior in lien or superior in equity to the bonds and coupons secured by the mortgage under which the said sale was made, shall present the same to the undersigned, at its office, in the city of Philadelphia, on or before APRIL 1ST, next. Said claims must be presented in writing, setting forth the items and dates thereof and must be supported by affidavit.

THE FIDELITY INSURANCE, TRUST AND SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY, 327-331 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

JOHN HAMPTON BARNES, Attorney, Girard Building, Broad and Chestnut Sts., Phila.

Mar. 8, 1898. 3t

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Gettysburg, Pa., Tues...

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Personal...

—General J. P. S. G... in-chief of the Grand Arm... he, is expected to be in ... business of the Pennsylv... Commission.

—Hon. S. McC. Swope ... at McConnellsburg this wee...

—Major W. M. Robbin... field Commission, ...

—Mr. Jason Althoff, ... of age, formerly of this sec... visited his sons and da... vicinity.

—Captain Robert A. ... burg, Va., with his son a... law, were at the Eagle H... Capt. Bright is one of the ... officers on General P... battle of Gettysburg.

—President and Mrs. H... entertained the Senior ... at their home last Fri... Miss Sallie Kreuth and Mis... assisted.

—Rev. H. B. Stock, of ... cent graduate of the Semi... ed President of the C... C. E. Union last we...

—Rev. Dr. Wolf, ... preached in the College ... day morning in the absence ... and Rev. W. A. Kn... Senior in Seminary, ... the evening.

—Mr. Guy M. Gr... spent Sunday at his home ...

—Misses Minnie and ... Littlestown, were visitors ... day.

—Mr. J. B. Stonesifer ... home from Valparaiso, I... was attending a business col...

—Rev. W. A. Hartman, ... class in Seminary, preached ... dist church last Sunday eve...

—Mrs. Elizabeth ... Tuesday to York, where ... her home with her son ... Lane.

—Mrs. M. M. Musse... atives in Chester.

—Rev. and Mrs. H. C. ... guests of friends in York and ...

—Miss Mary McC... some days in town this w...

—Miss Blanche ... township, visited in town ...

—Miss Helen Zieg... Hannah Moore Academy, ... Md., is spending some ... shaw's.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. ... last week in Washington.

—Miss Helen Stock, ... guest at Hon. Wm. Mc...

—Mrs. M. H. Richards, ... with her granddaughter, ... the guest of the Misses ...

—The Misses Krise have ... a visit to Baltimore and Carli...

—Mrs. Allen Kirkpatrick ... Scott, of Pittsburg, and Mrs. ... of Hunterstown, were guests ... Mrs. Dickson last week.

—Miss Beulah Tipton ... week from a visit to Braddock ...

—Mrs. Myers, wife of ... with her son, Dr. R. M. Myers, ... in the Navy, were at the Eagle ... week.

—Mr. Ira Young and wife, ... phia, are visiting Mrs. Young, ... Avenue.

—Miss Jennie Mc... meeting of the Carlisle Branc... Women's Missionary society ... last week. Miss Sara McP... elected one of the vice-presid...

IMPROVEMENTS.

A force of fourteen ... the Eagle Hotel ... Contractor Smith. ... which will be put in the ... chased last week from ... facturing Co., New York.

The Misses Kerr ... brick house east of ... Chambersburg street.

Dr. E. D. Hudson will build ... Cumberland township near ...

Wm. H. Johns has ... following buildings: ... story brick house on Washington ... Mrs. David Wisler, a ... house near Mummasburg ... terman, a two-story house ... farm, in Cumberland township ... B. Weikert, a large ... Freedom township.

THE new Gold Medal ... goods are now here in the ... fects. Magnificence of ... of weave, superiority of ... building a great black goods ... Gold Medal.

1t G. W. WEAVER ...

CALL and see my Spring goods ... ordering your Easter Suit.

1t J. D. L...

ALL the night shirt material ... now, at G. W. Weaver & Son's.

THE Carpet season is here in full ... No trouble suiting yourself here.

1t G. W. WEAVER ...

SPRING SEED RYE FOR SALE.—75 c... bushel. It is demonstrated that ... rye is a success. C. P. Bream, F... Pa. ...

ROOMS FOR RENT.—Inquire at W... grocery store, opposite Court-house...

THE appreciation shown our ... stock of carpets and furnishings ... gratifying, as it means big business ... day. New arrivals almost daily.

1t G. W. Weaver & ...

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Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday, March 22, 1898.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

SPRING SALES.

March 23, Wednesday—John W. Meals, attorney for heirs of Adam Meals, deceased, Butler township.

March 23, Wednesday—Adam F. Bucher, Franklin township.

March 23, Wednesday — James O. G. Weaner, Straban township.

March 23, Wednesday—J. Stewart Hartman, Rufus A. Hartman and G. Willis Hartman, executors of G. W. Hartman, deceased, Mountjoy township.

March 24, Thursday — Cornelius Lott, Cumberland township.

March 24, Tuesday — Charles Moritz, Butler township.

March 25, Friday—W. H. and J. E. Frock, executors of Valentine Frock, deceased, Cumberland township.

March 25, Friday—Misch & Krug, Cumberland township.

March 25, Friday—A. T. Hoffman, Franklin township.

March 26, Saturday—Margaret Corwell, Franklin township.

March 26, Saturday—W. F. Herbst, Freedom township.

March 28, Monday—Heirs of Mrs. Eliza Kime, deceased, Gettysburg.

March 29, Tuesday—A. F. Plank and Henry S. Cool, Liberty township.

March 29, Tuesday—R. B. Myers, Table Rock, Butler township.

April 2, Saturday—Samuel Herbst, Gettysburg.

April 7, Thursday—John N. Bayer, Straban township.

Personals.

—General J. P. S. Gobin, Commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, is expected to be in town to-day on business of the Pennsylvania Monument Commission.

—Hon. S. McC. Swope is holding court at McConnellsburg this week.

—Major W. M. Robbins, of the Battlefield Commission, returned last Thursday.

—Mr. Jacob Althoff, of York, 80 years of age, formerly of this county, last week visited his sons and daughters in this vicinity.

—Captain Robert A. Bright, of Williamsburg, Va., with his son and daughter-in-law, were at the Eagle Hotel last week. Capt. Bright is one of the four surviving officers on General Pickett's staff at the battle of Gettysburg.

—President and Mrs. H. W. McKnight entertained the Senior Class of College, at their home last Thursday evening. Miss Sallie Kraeth and Miss Julia Gilbert assisted.

—Rev. H. B. Stock, of Carlisle, a recent graduate of the Seminary, was elected President of the Cumberland County C. E. Union last week.

—Rev. Dr. Wolf, of the Seminary, preached in the College church last Sunday morning in the absence of the pastor, and Rev. W. A. Kump, of Hanover, a Senior in Seminary, occupied the pulpit in the evening.

—Mr. Guy M. Griffith, of Baltimore, spent Sunday at his home in this place.

—Misses Minnie and Ella Mehring, of Littlestown, were visitors in town on Friday.

—Mr. J. B. Stonesifer has returned home from Valparaiso, Ind., where he was attending a business college.

—Rev. W. A. Hartman, of the senior class in Seminary, preached in the Methodist church last Sunday evening.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Bursell went last Tuesday to York, where she will make her home with her son-in-law, Mr. J. F. Lane.

—Mrs. M. M. Musselman is visiting relatives in Chester.

—Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Alleman are the guests of friends in York and Lancaster.

—Miss Mary McConaughy is spending some days in town this week.

—Miss Blanche Neely, of Huntingdon township, visited in town last week.

—Miss Helen Ziegler, a student at Hannah Moore Academy, Reisterstown, Md., is spending some time at Mrs. Earnshaw's.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Oliver Blocher spent last week in Washington.

—Miss Helen Stock, of Hanover, is a guest at Hon. Wm. McClean's.

—Mrs. M. H. Richards, of Allentown, with her granddaughter, Dorothea, will be the guest of the Misses McClean this week.

—The Misses Krise have returned from a visit to Baltimore and Carlisle.

—Mrs. Allen Kirkpatrick and Miss Scott, of Pittsburg, and Mrs. Grace Bell, of Hunterstown, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Dickson last week.

—Miss Beulah Tipton returned last week from a visit to Braddock, Pa.

—Mrs. Myers, wife of General Myers, with her son, Dr. R. M. Myers, a Surgeon in the Navy, were at the Eagle Hotel last week.

—Mr. Ira Young and wife, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. Young, Stewart Avenue.

—Miss Jennie Monfort attended the meeting of the Carlisle Branch of the Women's Missionary society at Newville last week. Miss Sara McPherson was elected one of the vice-presidents.

Miscellaneous.

In the U. S. Senate last Thursday a bill was passed to authorize the erection of a statue of President Lincoln, at Gettysburg, to cost $50,000, the statue to be erected by a commission, composed of the Secretary of War, the Commander of the army, the Governor of Pennsylvania and the Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic.

THANKS are due Hon. Geo. J. Benner for Congressional favors, also County Superintendent J. W. Thoman for a copy of the report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

J. A. TAWNEY has purchased the Pierce lot on South Washington street, about 10 acres, on which stood the historic old stone barn.

HORSES, cattle and farming implements continue to bring high prices, and the sales are reported to be generally well attended. In several instances horses have gone to a hundred and more dollars and cows as high as sixty-five. This indicates activity in the farming business.

AMONG the new pensions appears the name of Isaac Daniel L. Lightner, deceased, of Abbottstown, restoration and re-issue, $12.

An excellent picture of the graduating class and the teachers of the High School is exhibited in Tipton's window.

N. H. SWARTZ has bought of Jacob C. Herbst, a tract of about 10½ acres of land along Rock creek, at $50 per acre.

MESSRS. Bell, Hartman, Lantz and Richard will be the speakers at the Theological Seminary Commencement, which will take place on June 2nd. The graduating class will number 23.

HARRY L. MILLER has been appointed postmaster at Round Hill.

THE *Philadelphia Inquirer* of yesterday prints a picture of St. James Lutheran church of this place, and its pastor, Rev. A. R. Steck.

THE gentlemen whose names appear in a notice of an application of a charter for a corporation to be known as "The People's Electric Light, Heat and Power Co., of Gettysburg, Pa.," as it will be seen in another column, are the same, we understand, as those concerned in the Electric Railway.

A large audience attended the Sons of Hercules performance in the College Gymnasium last Saturday evening. The young athletes showed the good results of faithful training, coupled with natural born skill. They presented a fine appearance in their new suits of blue with a large orange G on the breast. Those who took part were: Wiles of Seminary; Krafft and Culler '98; Bennett, Scraw and Brumbaugh '99; Kohler, Stock, Cole, Traub and Bottinger '00; Bodine '01; Snyser, Eckle and Smith '02.

THE Hanover Agricultural Society will hold their next annual Fair on Sept. 6, 7, 8 and 9.

MRS. CAPT. MILLER has purchased the property of Allen Wagerman, in Bonneauville, on private terms.

THE burned Extract Works of J. S. Young & Co. Limited, Hanover, will be rebuilt, on an improved plan. The main buildings will be built of brick, and arranged so as to prevent the spreading of a fire, so far as possible.

COL. BERNARD AYRES, who died in Philadelphia on Saturday a week ago, was the first conductor employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in 1849. He was born in Harrisburg in 1818, and after graduating from Dickinson College was an engineer on the old Gettysburg Railroad.

JOHN KNOUSE has purchased the S. D. & D. K. Ernst bottling works, and will continue the business.

THERE will be Communion in the Reformed church at McKnightstown, on Easter morning, April 10th, at 10:30 a. m.

The Canning Factory.

Considerable interest has been manifested in the plan to run the Canning Factory this year. From J. Oliver Blocher's warehouse about fifty bushels of peas and one bushel of corn have been given out to date, and it is likely many more farmers will avail themselves of the opportunity to create a home market for peas and corn.

THESE the following gentlemen have taken seed: Oliver Knouse, Harry Shaner, E. M. Lightner, Amos Sikix, John Fissel, N. W. Stavely, Raphael Fiscel-Geo. Freed, C. D. Rice, S. Taylor, D. Deweese, David Thomas, R. VanDyke, J. W. Keafe, Dr. J. W. C. O'Neal, Peter Stemmer, D. J. Snyder, I. N. Lightner, W. C. Plank, Dan. Wherley, David Conover, John Wilkasin, John Arentz, W. J. Swope, A. J. Guise, H. F. Beck, S. J. Hawn, John Miller, H. C. Hagarman, F. J. Sneeringer, W. H. Stouffer, H. McDermott, Geo. H. Joyce, John Riley, Robt. Sheads and J. F. Little.

Literary Exercises.

The regular monthly literary exercises of the High School will be held next Friday afternoon at 1:30. The programme, entitled "The Land of Scott and Burns," is a study of Scottish poetry and song. The public is cordially invited. The following is the programme in detail:

Music—Singing—"Sweet Afton,".....School.
Reading of Scripture.....Vice President.
Recitation—"The Chase," from "Lady of The Lake,".....Montfort Melchoir.
Recitation—"The Blue Bells of Scotland,".....Carrie Englebert.
Paper—Biography of Robert Burns,.....Sadie Reffensperger.
Declamation—"Address to Edinburgh,"...Harry Garlach.
Music—Vocal Solo.....Alma Comfort.
Recitation—"Pipes at Lucknow,".....Helen Bream.
Paper—Biography of Sir Walter Scott, Millard Tawney.
Recitation—"Lament of Mary, Queen of Scots,".....Rose Kauffman.
Music—Instrumental Duet....Elsie Martin and Alice Taughinbaugh.
Reading—"Execution of Mary, Queen of Scots,".....Margery Miller.
Declamation—"A Man's a Man for a' That,"... Ralph Lewars.
Music—Singing—"Annie Laurie,".....School
Recitation—"To a Mountain Daisy,".....Jessie Ziegler.
Recitation—"Charlie Machree,"....Mary Hoffman.
Music—Singing—Scottish Quartet.....Alma Comfort, Helen Bream, Elsie Martin, Alice Taughinbaugh.

PANTOMIME—"LOCHNYAR"

CAST—Jessie Ziegler, Elsie Martin, Maggie Adams, Rose Kauffman, Alice Taughinbaugh, Edie Williams, Carrie Ingleberg, Grace Troxell, Monsfort Melchoir, Margery Myers, Edward Weaver, Ralph Lewars, Roy Hartman, Harvey Deane.

COLLEGE THEATRICALS.

The Philo Dramatic Association will produce another play, "The Cool Collegians," on Tuesday evening, March 29th, in Brua Chapel. This is one of the most humorous college comedies ever written and was given with great success at Harvard University. The capability of the college amateurs to fully bring out the humor of the play goes without saying, since their successful rendition of "A Proposal Under Difficulties," last January. This latter farce will be repeated, as a curtain-raiser, by special request. Admission 25c. Tickets for sale at Eckert's store where the board will be opened on Friday morning, March 25th.

BEATS THE KLONDIKE. — Mr. A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has found a more valuable discovery than has yet been made in the Klondike. For years he suffered untold agony from consumption accompanied by hemorrhages; and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. He declares that gold is of little value in comparison with this marvelous cure; would have it, even if it cost a hundred dollars a bottle. Asthma, Bronchitis and all throat and lung affections are positively cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Trial bottles free at S. J. Osborn's, Jr. Drug Store. Regular size 50 cts. and $1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded. (2)

Democratic Co. Committee.

Proceedings of the Meeting Last Saturday Morning---Delegates to the State Convention---Resolutions---Convention Aug. 8.

The Democratic County Committee met last Saturday morning at the Globe Hotel pursuant to notice. Chairman H. L. Bream called the meeting to order and Secretary J. L. Williams read the call. On roll-call the following substitutions were made: W. A. Bream, of York Springs borough, substituted A. A. Miller; J. C. Hemler, of Mountpleasant, G. F. M. Smith; F. W. Morrison, of Straban, Geo. D. Morrison; R. P. Mumma, of Bendersville, J. B. Myers; W. A. Taughinbaugh, of Straban, J. F. McIntire; James B. Carns, of Berwick borough, P. H. Strubinger; C. C. Collins, of Mountjoy, A. J. Collins; S. S. W. Hammers, of Highland township, Levi Reinecker; Wm. Watson, of Hamiltonban township, W. H. Fowler; H. G. Wehler, of New Oxford borough, Wm. M. Steffy; Allen B. Plank, of Gettysburg 1st ward, Lewis Ramer; Dill Bream, of Bendersville borough, E. L. Grammer; J. L. Butt, of Gettysburg 1st ward, F. Mark Bream; Henry Beard, of Hamiltonban township, Henry Peters; Daniel Ruff, of New Oxford borough, Chas. Wiest.

The next in order being the election of a chairman, Joseph C. Redding, of Cumberland township, nominated J. L. Williams, Esq., and John L. Beitz, of Conewago township, Wm. P. Devine.

Chairman Bream appointed J. Louis Rhodes and G. F. M. Smith tellers. Mr. Williams received 37 votes; Mr. Devine 42. Mr. Devine was therefore declared elected and, after making a few remarks, thanking the committee for the honor conferred upon him, took his seat.

Nominations for Treasurer of the Committee being in order, Fred. Thorn, of Gettysburg, was nominated and was elected by acclamation. W. H. Fowler, of Hamiltonban township, was elected Secretary by acclamation.

On motion Chairman Devine appointed the following committee on resolutions: P. H. Strubinger, Frank Stonaker, Charles Wiest, Reuben Swartz and John C. Bollinger.

It being moved that the Committee proceed to the election of delegates to the State Convention, the following nominations were made: David Guise, H. L. Bream, G. S. Diller, J. Louis Rhodes, Frank Orner, J. W. Eicholtz, P. H. Strubinger and Dr. Geo. L. Rice.

Chairman Devine appointed G. F. M. Smith and Frank Stonaker tellers. The vote resulted as follows: Guise 44, Bream 35, Diller 31, Rhodes 31, Orner 42, Eicholtz 34, Strubinger 41, Rice 42. Messrs. Orner, Guise, Strubinger and Rice were therefore declared delegates to the State Convention.

The date fixed, on motion of Dr. Rice, for the County Convention is Monday, August 8.

The Committee on Resolutions reported as follows:

The Democracy of Adams County, through her delegated representatives, today assembled, do resolve:

First—That we concur in the general declaration of the Democratic Committees and Conventions of our sister counties, that the paramount issue of the ensuing campaign shall be a vigorous arraignment of the willful, unbridled Republican abuse and corruption that has disgraced our grand old Commonwealth; and, that we shall make a conservative and conscientious appeal to the integrity and intelligence of all good citizens, regardless of party affiliations, that all experience teaches that the only sure relief and remedy is to turn all the Republican spoilsmen out, Quay and anti-Quay, and again transfer the ship of state to an honest Democrat of the Pattison type.

Second—That while we adopt this as the paramount issue we nevertheless deem it proper to remind our fellow-citizens that the gravest danger, the greatest menace to our free institution, is the legalized, rampant robbery of the masses by the gigantic trusts and monopolies that are continually multiplying in numbers, augmenting in power and subsidizing all the channels of trade.

We accordingly agree with President McKinley in his message to Congress, that the government is responsible for these trusts and monopolies, and that she must therefore devise means to destroy them. But, we charge the Republican party for having formed and fostered them by and through the most onerous and unjust system of indirect taxation within the last generation that was ever imposed and inflicted upon any but a conquered and enslaved people. With a view of keeping this deplorable condition fresh in the minds of the people, we submit that the real remedy lies in a reform system of direct taxation for federal government, the same as that of municipal and State governments, to wit, equal taxation, based upon the measure of the pecuniary possession of the individual citizen—rich and poor, high and low.

Coupled with this system of direct taxation, without discrimination, we advocate a wise and practical policy of general economy and retaliation, for the protection of American industries and interests, agricultural, manufacturing and commercial, along the lines of the Henry Clay theory, that foreign restrictions, foreign high duties, foreign prohibitions, must be met by American restrictions, American high duties and American prohibitions."

Third—We hereby serve due notice upon the Democracy of York County, that we will strictly adhere to the Congressional conference system on the rule of romination, originally proposed by the Democracy of York, and well and wisely adopted by the three counties, upon the formation of the 19th District, with a motive of Democratic harmony and victory, we shall and will however, repudiate any man nominated for Congress by York county, who was in any manner connected and implicated in their nefarious resolutions of 1898, that aimed to undermine and overthrow a vital principal of Democracy, viz: the rights of the individuals, and, who aided in robbing Adams of representation in National Convention, through a diabolical conspiracy, with a half-breed Democrat, who was a free trade sponter on the rostrum and a high tariff ranter in the forum.

Fourth—Believing with State Chairman Garman that peace and harmony are indispensable to victory, we call upon him and his cohorts to cease their uncalled-for and unmanly crusade upon their fellow Democrat, Hon. W. F. Harrity, only because he honestly and conscientiously dissented upon a conventional declaration on a cardinal principal of any form of Government.

We therefore heartily endorse the action of Charles S. Duncan and his colleagues at the Reading convention one year ago, in their manly efforts to shield Mr. Harrity against vile abuse, and the party against consequent disruption, and we respectfully appeal to National Chairman Jones to use his good offices for the retention of Mr. Harrity as National Committeeman of Pa., and thus secure Garman's required Democratic harmony.

Fifth—We call upon all Democrats in the county to manifest such an interest in the coming primaries as public duty and party welfare dictate and demand; to the end that a ticket may be nominated that shall completely obliterate factional lines and be resultant of Democratic victory next November.

SUPPLEMENTAL RESOLUTIONS.

Be it resolved, That the Committee looks with favor upon the candidacy of the Hon. A. H. Coffroth, of Somerset county, who formerly represented our district in Congress, for Governor and calls upon the delegates to-day elected to give him their support, providing they deem him available.

Be it resolved, That we heartily endorse the candidacy of that worthy citizen of our sister county York, George W. Bacon, Esq., for the office of Lieutenant-Governor and instruct our delegates to-day elected to the State Convention to vote for him.

LOYAL TEMPERANCE LEGION.

The Loyal Temperance Legion of this place celebrated General Neal Dow's birthday with a special service in St. James Lutheran church last Sunday afternoon.

Rev. A. R. Steck conducted the services. A paper on L. T. L. work was read by Millard Tawney. The Senior Legion Choir sang several very beautiful selections.

Rev. Dr. Richard made an address on Temperance. Mr. Chas. F. Wiest, who has been associated with L. T. L. work here for some time, gave an interesting talk on the subject.

Supt. Thoman's Report.

Relating to the Schools of Adams County---General Information Regarding Them.

From the report of Superintendent J. W. Thoman, as it appears in the Report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction just issued, we take the following:

We are pleased to note that the sentiment is radically changing with reference to the qualification of teachers. This difference shown is giving us a better class of teachers. Teachers are no longer listless and indifferent. They fully realize that they are engaged in a profession; no longer an occupation as it was considered not many years ago. The best teachers available are now in demand for our rural schools.

School libraries are receiving more attention each year. Among those to which most attention is given, is the one at Gettysburg. It consists of several hundred volumes, to which handsome donations have been made by a few of the most aggressive school men of Gettysburg. Others which deserve recognition are the following: Abbottstown, York Springs, New Oxford and Littlestown.

Several country schools in various districts have recently undertaken to establish a library. Some of them containing a collection of choice books on literature, associated with an encyclopedia and a comprehensive dictionary. We have reason to believe that in a few years most of our schools will possess a well regulated library. Teachers, directors, parents and pupils are realizing the need of books outside of the adopted text-books. Especially do they feel the need of books of reference.

We find that great progress has been made on the part of pupils to broaden their range of knowledge beyond the common school curriculum. Since the adoption of our graded course of study, pupils realize that the text-books used by the school are no longer all that is required, but that general study and reading and research are necessary to acquire a more comprehensive knowledge of the various subjects required in our common school course. The course of study has been a means to provide general research by reading books of travel, history, biography, science, etc.

Teachers are becoming sensible of the fact that pupils cannot say longer be made believe indefinite and doubtful conclusions, but that realities and reliable evidence are the only proofs that will be received and accepted by them.

Schools can, therefore, be no longer conducted by school keepers, but must be in charge of student teachers.

The most notable improvement by directors during the year was the erection of a public high school building at Gettysburg, known as the "Meade Public High School." The building is located within sight of the Theological Seminary and Pennsylvania College buildings, which are in structure among the finest in the State; We are pleased to note that the new high school building compares in appearance favorably with the buildings to which reference has been made.

School apparatus, in many ways, is as essential as a competent teacher and a good school building, when judiciously selected, but when purchased for the sake of getting rid of a surplus fund, a lack of wisdom is shown. It is equally as unwise on the part of directors for not providing it as it is prudent for them to supply schools with it when needed.

During the last two or three years hundreds of dollars have been unwisely expended, if not squandered, for apparatus at an unreasonable price, which should, in some cases, have been purchased for half or less, than the price paid. The greatest care should be made in where directors will allow an agent to make them believe they are in need of a device when, at the same time, they are well supplied with sufficient, and oftimes a better article bearing on the same subject than the one they are being persuaded to buy. For the sake of illustrating: A few years ago two "sharpers" canvassed our county with a dictionary in an abridged form and inferior binding. They called on the members of a certain board and induced them to buy a copy for each school, when at the same time each school had been supplied a short time before with a Webster's Unabridged Dictionary. The same has been true of charts. I have in mind several townships in which the schools were supplied with physiological charts which had been in use but a short time. The directors not being fully conversant with the supplies the schools already contained, allowed themselves to be persuaded to buy a second set of charts bearing on the same subject, at a cost of $37.00 for each school. Directors cannot be too careful in the purchase of apparatus. Teachers should be consulted and the apparatus on hand examined before purchasing others. A better plan would be to pay competent teachers a better salary than is frequently paid them. A competent teacher is more valuable without apparatus than an incompetent or inexperienced teacher with apparatus.

The county institute was held during Thanksgiving week and every session was well attended. The most remarkable feature about the attendance was the enrollment of every teacher in the county, which seldom, if ever, occurs. Many directors and others from different parts of the county were in attendance during the entire week.

Local institutes were held at the following places: Gettysburg, Littlestown, Fairfield, Cashtown, Biglerville, York Springs, East Berlin, New Oxford and McSherrystown. They were well attended by teachers, directors and parents.

The School Directors' Association held its fifth annual meeting in the public high school building, Gettysburg, November 26th, with the largest attendance of directors yet present. Hon. Henry Houck addressed the association. The association is in a prosperous condition and a great interest is manifested by its members. Five delegates were elected to represent the county in the State association, which met at Harrisburg in February.

I return thanks to the directors, teachers, State Department, editors, patrons and pupils of our schools for the encouragement and assistance given and for the respect shown, and trust that the coming year will be the most prosperous in the history of our schools.

ANOTHER ROBBERY.

On Tuesday night the jewelry store of Jacob T. Myers, in this place, was again entered by burglars and about $100 worth of watches, chains, etc., carried off. An entrance was effected by taking out a panel of the shutter of the apartment into which the folding shutters are turned when not in use, and then boring out a hole through the inner board, the only place without metal lining, going to show that the work was done by some one quite familiar with the make-up of the building. — *York Springs Comet.*

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EXCURSION TO BALTIMORE.

The last of the season. On March 31st, 1898, under the auspices of the Mice Society of Emanuel's Reformed church, of Hanover. Train will be run in one section as a double-header, leaving Gettysburg at 7.10 a. m.; Granite at 7.21; Gulden's 7.24; Brush Run 7.30; Oxford 7.35; Berlin Junction 7.40; Hendrix 7.45; Hanover 7.54. Returning train leaves Hillen Station at the early hour of 6.40. m15 3t

A Horrible Railroad Accident

Is a daily chronicle in our papers; also the death of some friend, who died with Consumption, whereas, if he or she had taken Coe's Cure for Throat and Lung diseases in time, life would have been rendered happier and perhaps saved. If you have a cough or any affection of the Throat and Lungs call at People's Drug Store, Gettysburg; E. W. Paxton, Uriah; Rex & Blair, Aspers; H. R. Lower, Table Rock; H. L. Bream, Cashtown; Barton & McCleaf, Fairfield; C. L. Strickhouser, Mt. Zion, sole agents and get a trial bottle free. Large sizes 50c and 25c.

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The Hand of Death.

Samuel Geiselman, a highly respected retired farmer of Oxford township, this county, aged 78 years, died last Saturday morning from the effects of a stroke of paralysis with which he was affected about two weeks ago.

Mr. Geiselman was a widower, his wife having died about two years ago. He is survived by three sons and a sister—Mrs. Sarah Myers, of Hanover. The sons are: Michael Geiselman, residing near Mount Rock; John Geiselman, who resided with his father at New Oxford, and Charles W. Geiselman, of Hanover.

The funeral took place on Monday morning at 10 o'clock, at the house. The interment was at Mount Olivet Cemetery, Hanover.

Joseph Fink, for many years senior member of the firm of Fink Bros. & Co., wholesale grocers, Baltimore, died Friday evening a week ago, at St. Agnes' Hospital. Mr. Fink was in his seventy-sixth year, and death reached from old age and general debility. He was born in Adams county. In 1844 he went to Baltimore and engaged in the grocery business at Eutaw and Franklin streets. He was a director in the Metropolitan Savings Bank, the Howard Bank and the American Fire Insurance Company, and was closely identified with many charitable and religious institutions, being the first secretary of the Young Catholic's Friend Society. Surviving him are a widow and six children.

College Notes.

A relay team will be sent from College to the Inter-collegiate Contests at Philadelphia on April 30. The team will be picked from these students who are now in training: Dale '00, Grazier '98, Farnham '00, Miller '00, Ketterman '01, Moser '01.

William Burns, who played on the Gettysburg College base ball and foot ball teams for the last two years, has signed as an applicant for pitcher on the New York National League team. He reported to Lakewood, N. J., last week.

As far as arrangements have been made now, this will be the schedule for the College team the coming base-ball season:

Here, April 12, Syracuse University.
Carlisle, April 16, Carlisle Indians.
Baltimore, May 4, Johns Hopkins University.
Here, May 7, University of Maryland.
Here, May 20, State College.
Here, May 28, Bucknell.
Here, May 30, Carlisle Indians.
Here, June 9, Washington and Jefferson.

There will likely be games also with University of Virginia, Susquehanna University and Columbia University. The team is out for practice every evening and a number of promising candidates are in the field. The first team will not be chosen for a week or so yet.

To-morrow marks the close of the winter term and the beginning of the spring session.

Easter vacation will begin April 1.

School Entertainment.

Entertainment held at Grayson's school, Liberty township, March 1st, taught by J. W. Hershey. The house was crowded and the entertainment enjoyed by all. The program was as follows: Song by the school, "School Days"; Music, Fountain Dale Orchestra; Recitations by Russell Baker and Hubert Felix; Dialogue, "Report of Little Ones"; Recitations by Ruth and Edith Riley; Dialogue, "Playing Hostess"; Song, "Tramp, Tramp, the Boys are Marching"; Recitations by Herbert Gingell and Joseph Baker; Dialogue, "The Aragon Sold Travel"; Music, Orchestra; Recitation by Clair Sarbaugh; Dialogue, "The Runaway"; Recitation by Samuel Hershey; Song, "The Little Brick Schoolhouse"; Dialogue, "The Rogue Doctors"; Recitation by Norman Riley; A Darkey Quartette; A Stump Speech by Emanuel Hershey; A Tan Drill; Music, Orchestra; Recitations by Ruth Riley and Urban Flohr; Song, "Twenty Froggies Went to School"; Dialogue, "The Real Cost"; Music, Orchestra; Recitation by Edith Riley; Dialogue, "New Mother Hubbard"; Recitations by Hubert Felix, Eliza Riley and Charlie Crouse; Music, Orchestra; Recitations by Opal Bell and Grace Iseminger; Recitation by Ruth Riley; Dialogue, "A Lively Night"; Music, "The Mocking Bird Song"; Recitation by Elmer Willhide; Select Reading by Helen Willhide; Recitation by Ivan Riley; Dialogue, "Here She Goes and There She Goes"; Recitation by Flora Claybaugh; Auctioneer Song; Music, Orchestra; Vacation Song by the School; Dialogue, "Good-bye" by seven little girls.

X. Y. Z.

Surprise Party.

An agreeable surprise party was given at the home of Geo. F. Daugherty, in Sedgwick, on March 1st, in honor of his brother Charles. The evening was spent in games and social conversation. At an appropriate hour all were invited to the dining-room, where refreshments in abundance awaited them and to which all did justice. At a late hour all left for their respective homes well pleased with the evening spent. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Swisher, Mrs. Mary E. Daugherty, Mrs. Edward J. Pfeffer, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Daugherty, Misses Kate Swisher, Mabel Reilley, Beckie Pfeffer, Lizzie Bushman, Tura Haner, Bertha Diehl, Carrie Sherfy, Mary M. Daugherty, Jennie Trostle, Bertha Sherfy, Cora Hess, Belle Fissel, Grace Daugherty, Carrie Diehl, Mattie Diehl, Elsie Miller, of Arendtsville, Messrs. Charles N. Daugherty, Wm. Wible, Harvey Bushman, Harry Geiselman, Clenroy Hess, Harry Daugherty, Samuel Trostle, Rufus Bushman, Harvey Haner, Wm. Diehl, Geo. Plank, Albert Swisher, Herbert Howard, Emory Daugherty, Jacob Swisher, Raphael Sherfy, Edward Daugherty and Harry Haner.

A GUEST.

ALEXANDER BLACK.

The opportunity to witness one of Mr. Black's unique inventions is something more than an every-day occurrence. Mr. Black has so many calls for his time that he can demand for his time what he wishes. So, having been here last year and returning again this year, it is doubtful whether any committee will soon again feel justified in risking the large guarantee necessary for his engagement. In his only the two plays and both will have been given before the Gettysburg people. Let us advise then that anyone desiring to see and hear Mr. Black take advantage of the present opportunity on Wednesday, March 23rd, at Brua Chapel. The chairman of the committee wishes to say that only a few seats are still available, and that the committee will spare no effort to provide for the comfort of all those who attend the play on Wednesday evening. The chart is now at Buehler's Drug Store, where tickets can be obtained. There will be many good seats open to general admission, which will be only 35 cents.

MAKE NO MISTAKE.—James Vicks Sons Garden and Floral Guide for 1898 is a most beautiful work of the printer's art and contains a fund of information for the grower of flowers and vegetables which should be made very helpful, and the edge with which the information is obtained places all of the patrons of this superior firm under obligations to them. The seeds of this firm which we have planted have always given the best of satisfaction, and enables us to recommend the firm as doing an honorable business, and no one will make a mistake in patronizing them. Vick's Garden and Floral Guide is mailed free upon application, to all who intend buying seeds or plants. It

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MARRIAGES.

ADAMS—SNYDER.—Mar. 15, in York Springs, by Rev. L. M. Gardner, Mr. Charles E. Adams, of Hedgesville, to Miss Grace E. Snyder, of Bendersville.

WISMORE—MYERS.—Mar. 15, by Rev. J. A. Metzgar, Mr. John E. Wismore, of near New Baltimore, to Miss Minnie S. Myers, of East Berlin.

HARNER—VALENTINE.—Mar. 16, at St. John's Lutheran parsonage, Littlestown, by Rev. J. A. Mann, D. D., Mr. Newton Harner to Miss Stella Valentine, both of Adams co.

WISE—CHRONISTER.—Mar. 15, at East Berlin, by Rev. P. M. Spangler, Mr. C. F. Wise to Miss Ida Chronister, both of Huntington township.

ANDREW—HOOD.—Mar. 17, at Orrtanna, by Rev. J. F. Mackley, Mr. George Andrew, of Orrtanna, to Mrs. Mary E. Hood, of Taneytown, Md.

DEATRICK—MILLER.—Mar. 17, at Hampton, by Rev. Paul M. Spangler, Mr. Curtis Deatrick to Miss Emelie Miller, both of Reading twp.

PENCE—PAXTON.—Mar. 12, at Bermudian, by David E. Smith, J. P., Mr. Christ Pence, of Bermudian, to Miss Lillie Paxton, of Round Hill.

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DUNDORE.—Mar. 16, at Hunterstown, Mrs. John Dundore, aged about 70 years.

HEMLER.—Mar. 11, in Liberty township, Miss Susan M. Hemler, aged 76 years and 5 months.

MILLER.—On Saturday, in Huntington township, of pneumonia, Mr. Benjamin Miller, aged about 70 years.

KENNEDY.—Mar. 8, in Bingtown, Mrs. Lizzie Pope Kennedy, aged 27 years 8 months and 21 days.

HEIGES.—Mar. 9, in Germany township, Mr. Jacob Heiges, aged 83 years 7 months and 2 days.

WATSON.—March 11, at McConnellstown, Pa., Frederick James, youngest son of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Watson, aged 10 years 9 months and 5 days.

HARPER.—Mar. 8, in Emmitsburg, Raymond Zahler, formerly of Littlestown, aged 38 years.

SLONAKER.—In remembrance of our dear brother, ABNER SLONAKER, who departed this life March 24th, 1897.

A precious one from us has gone,
One of a band we love dearly;
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.
God, in His wisdom has recalled
The loved His love had given,
And though the body slumbers now
The soul is safe in Heaven.
And returns in bliss supreme.
'Tis hard to break the tender cord
When love has bound the heart,
'Tis hard, so hard to speak the words
Must we forever part;
And gaze on thy smiling face no more.
Dearest loved one, we have laid thee
In the peaceful grave to embrace,
But thy memory will be cherished
Till we see thy heavenly face
On eternity's golden shore.

His sisters, JULIA and LOUISA SLONAKER.

ROYER.—Mar. 13, in Gettysburg, Mrs. Margaret Royer, colored, aged 71 years.

NOTICE.

THE first and final account of C. D. SMITH, Assignee in trust for the benefit of creditors of J. H. M. MASTER AND WIFE, of McSherrystown, has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, Pa., and will be confirmed by said Court on SATURDAY, APRIL 23rd, 1898, at 10 o'clock, a. m., unless cause be shown to the contrary.

JOHN M. BLOCHER,
Mar. 22, 1898. td Prothonotary.

NOTICE.

THE first and final account of W. J. BUTT, Assignee in trust for the benefit of creditors of DANIEL SEFFLE AND WIFE, of Franklin township, has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, Pa., and will be confirmed by said Court on SATURDAY, APRIL 23rd, 1898, at 10 o'clock, a. m., unless cause be shown to the contrary.

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PUBLIC SALE.

ON THURSDAY, the 7th day of APRIL, 1898, the undersigned will sell at Public Sale, at his residence, in Straban township,

60 Head of HOGS,
1 White Chester SOW with 8 Pigs,
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Mar. 22, 1898. ts JOHN N. BOYER.

CHARTER NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on THURSDAY, the 14th day of APRIL, 1898, by Henry A. Bueher, Wm. M. Harty, Jared Buehler, Henry Green, Wm. Hemler, Frank Reeder, Joseph T. Richards, Max Biehemski, Henry A. Sajo, Geo. T. Stalsitz and others, under the Act of Assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The People's Electric Light, Heat and Power Company, of Gettysburg, Pa.," the character and object of which is to supply light, heat and power by electricity to the public at Gettysburg, Pa., and to such persons, partnerships and corporations residing therein or adjacent thereto as may desire the same, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto.

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PROCLAMATION.

To the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables in the Different Boroughs and Townships in the County of Adams—Greeting:

KNOW YE, that in pursuance of a precept to me directed under the hand and seal of the Honorable S. McC. Swope, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the 51st Judicial District,

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Gettysburg Pa., Tuesday, March 22, 1898.

Wheat after Corn.

The Oat Crop Can't Be Spared

Mr L. W. Lighty has an excellent essay on page 85, which cannot fail to interest thinking farmers. The oat crop, he says, is a surface feeder and "of very little money value at the best." This may be the case in Adams county, but in northern Pennsylvania the oat crop is considered one of the surest and most profitable we can raise It does well on the high hills of Bradford county, where the soil and climate are not congenial to wheat and corn, and where wheat, if raised, must have extra care, and a top dressing of rotten manure to make a crop reasonably sure Rye being more hardy than wheat, is a safer grain to raise after oats, and is equally good to seed upon with clover the following spring Oats are one of the most healthful and nutritious grains for horses, when fed whole, and when ground grain is fed, oats should form one of the ingredients. They ought therefore to be raised on every farm where they grow well, and horses are kept Farmers would be loth to drop oats from their rotation Wheat may be "king" now, but a few years hence, it is to be feared, there will be an over-production, and wheat will again go down to 50c per bushel.

Mr Lighty cuts oats out of his rotation, and sows wheat on his corn ground I am sorry he does not tell us his mode of procedure in sowing wheat after corn without plowing the ground, but I surmise that he sows it in the standing corn before the last cultivation The corn when ripe is cut up at the roots and placed in stooks where it must stand until dry enough to husk and crib By that time the wheat plants where the stook stood all over the field will be "dead as a hammer" Then in drawing off the corn and stalks a multitude of tender wheat plants will be crushed into the earth by the wagon wheels, and the feet of the horses A paying wheat crop may be raised in this manner, and Mr Lighty no doubt does it, but it looks like sloven ly farming After my wheat is sown I don't want to see the track of a horse, cow, calf or sheep on it

My father who sometimes sowed wheat on his corn ground, practiced cutting the corn at the roots as soon as the ears were glazed, drawing it off on a sled and standing it up well in a near-by field This was a great deal of work and required much painstaking to set the shocks up so that they would not fall down, but it left the ground entirely clear for plowing and sowing He always plowed the ground, though a disk or cutaway harrow might have prepared it well enough When the corn is drawn off and put into a silo, it leaves the land clear for sowing wheat and this furnishes another argument in favor of the silo

I have seen some of our neighbors cut up narrow strips through the field, plow and sow these strips, then cut up the remainder and set it on these strips, together with what they had at first removed to one side In this way the whole field was sown, but the wheat would be killed on the spots where the shocks stood.

I think about the best way, and the one usually practiced here, is to cut up the corn so that the spaces between the rows of shocks will be about 36 feet wide These spaces between the rows are then back furrowed and sown, the strips where the rows of shocks stood are left until the next spring and sown with oats, and the whole seeded with clover.

There is an old saying that a field which has raised a good crop of corn will produce a good crop of wheat, and barring the accidents of Hessian fly, winter killing, midge, rust, and smut, the saying may be considered true There is no doubt that when the corn is removed the land is in excellent condition for wheat, provided the corn was properly tilled and the weeds destroyed Corn ground will produce as much wheat as a fallow, with much less labor of preparation, and here is one of the anomalies of farming —the fallow after having been plowed and harrowed as many as three times during the summer, and exposed to the sun and wind, without any covering or manuring, is quite sure to produce a good crop of wheat, the corn-ground on the contrary has been shaded all summer, and has provided sustenance for a heavy crop of stalks and grain, and will yet give quite as good a yield of wheat as the fallow If exposure to the sun and wind is a good preparation of land for wheat we should naturally suppose that shading the ground and shielding it from the wind would be a bad preparation, but such is not the case —A writer of Bradford county, Pa, in the *Country Gentleman*

Cost of Raising Beets.

It seems to me, says a writer in the *Country Gentleman*, that our farmers are getting too much advice on how to grow crop whose management is simplicity itself compared with that of onions, carrots, grapes or raspberries Take a piece of good loam, clay or sand, that has had corn crop well cared for last year—plowing in fall would be the best—cultivate well in spring to get a good seed bed, drill in early, rows 18 inches apart, soon as the seed makes a visible plant, keep the weeds down, thin to 6 inches apart in rows. After the plants are thinned out they need no more attention than a crop of corn. As to the harvesting and storing, the average farmer will find methods the European farmer never thought of, and I have no doubt that his crop will cost less than it would in any part of Europe. From my own knowledge of the plant, I would say there is not a crop to-day that is surer to come to maturity if planted at a season when the ground is supplied with enough moisture to give a full stand the rest is easy.

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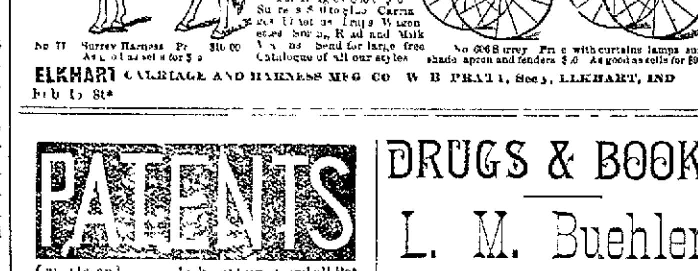

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FARM NOTES.

SUGGESTIONS WHICH HAVE REFERENCE TO THE FARM IN GENERAL

Should fertilizers be mixed with manure? It has always been maintained that when manure or fertilizers were mixed and immediately applied to the soil there is then no loss, but at the Hatch Experiment Station, in Massachusetts, applications of six cords of barnyard manure per acre, and four cords of manure with 160 pounds of muriate of potash per acre, were made annually during six years of corn culture on the same land Manure without the potash gave the best results, and the experiment agrees with trials made in England, where it was found that manure and chemical fertilizer, mixed, dissipated the nitrogen From the results of these experiments it is advisable to use manure and fertilizers separately, not applying both on the same land. Some lands, however, may give different results, as the texture of the soil, the exposure of the surface to the winds and the drainage, as well as the kind of crops grown thereon, may affect the results

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Fertilizers for potatoes depend upon the crops previously grown on the land Professor Arthur, of the Indiana Experiment Station, recommends, when fertilizer alone is to be used, on one acre the following Sulphate of ammonia, 150 pounds, dissolved phosphate rock, 250 pounds, and sulphate of potash, 150 pounds About 1000 pounds of wood ashes may be used in place of the potash The most expensive ingredient of the above is the sulphate of ammonia If the land is clover sod only 50 pounds of the sulphate of ammonia need be applied

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The best preventive of rust on implements is kerosene If cleaned and sponged once a week with kerosene all iron and steel implements will be less liable to rust than when oils of any kind are used When stored away for winter a mixture of one part rosin melted in six parts of lard will be found excellent Early in spring if the implements and tools are to be cleaned it may be done with gasoline, and two or three hours after they may be lightly sponged with kerosene

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Coarse food is cheap and helps wonderfully, but it must not be depended upon to give good results unless more concentrated articles are added When feeding any kind of food watch the cows and notice if they are falling off in milk The way to observe the mode of feeding is to keep an eye on the contents of the milk pail

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The full streams of spring will wear away much good soil unless the banks are protected A few posts driven just above the weak points will serve to collect rubbish, and thereby protect the banks Stick a few willow sprouts along the bank their roots hold the soil enabling it to resist the encroachments of the water to a remarkable degree —*Rural World*

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In all horse feeding the aim is to maintain the force and endurance which the horse already possesses, and to develop these qualities when possible When it is desired to have a horse increase in weight and size and take on a well rounded appearance it should be done by adding to his muscle rather than to increase greatly the amount of adipose substances — *Maryland Station Bulletin*

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On most farms in this country either clover hay or corn stalks will be the main ration for foddering farm stock during the winter These are, everything considered, the cheapest foods that the farm can produce, the advantage of the corn being that it will grow a greater bulk than can be grown of anything else The clover has an equal advantage in the fact that wherever it is grown the soil is increasing in fertility It is economy to feed clover and corn stalks together, as each will supplement the deficiencies of the other, and more of both will be eaten and digested

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The proper feeding of calves has been a fruitful source of discussion One point not to be overlooked is that all vessels used for feeding calves must be scalded and kept clean, as the germs of disease may exist in filthy vessels

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To grow a large crop of millet plow the ground now, manure it and work in the manure with a cultivator After frost is gone work the land again with a harrow and sow the seed After it gets a good start it will keep the weeds down by crowding them out Millet is a summer crop and will give a good yield of hay when some other crops fail

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Shredded fodder is excellent but try a piece of fodder corn for shredding. Grow it in the same manner as for ensilage, cure it properly and keep it under shelter The curing of the corn and preserving it are the secrets of success with fodder of all kinds

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Professor Card, of the Nebraska Station says that the codling moth does not lay its eggs in the calyx cup when the trees are in bloom, but remains in winter quarters until the time for spraying has passed, when it emerges and deposits eggs on the upper surface of the leaves. Ten days later the larva hatch and find a lodging place in the calyx cup From two to four generations appear in a season. It is suggested to spray within a week after the blossoms fall and frequently thereafter

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For destroying the young weeds as soon as they begin to peep out of the ground there is an implement known as the weeder It is a very simple affair, and one using it need only go over a row once, as such work can be done quickly It stirs the ground only to the depth of an inch or two, but breaks the top soil sufficiently to conserve the moisture below Do not use a cultivator where the weeder will answer

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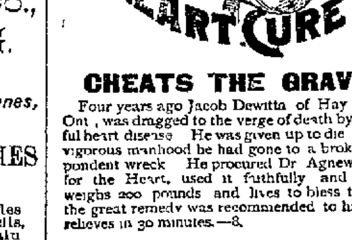
Some farmers will allow Canada thistles to remain rather than to undertake the task of their destruction No one should expect to get rid of them in a year, but the land can be cleared of them if the work is properly done and persisted in Plow the land and plant to potatoes In addition to the cultivator use the hoe, and always cut the thistles two or three inches under ground The next year grow cabbage or some other crop requiring the hoe (even corn will answer) and the thistles will become less numerous every year Then sow to Hungarian grass and mow it as frequently as possible



CHEATS THE GRAVE.

Four years ago Jacob Dewitta of Hay Island, Ont, was dragged to the verge of death by dread ful heart disease He was given up to die From vigorous manhood he had gone to a broken despondent wreck He procured Dr Agnew's Cure for the Heart, used it faithfully and to-day weighs 200 pounds and lives to bless the day the great remedy was recommended to him. It relieves in 30 minutes.—8.

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HE SAWED WOOD.

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When Shakespeare, the Bard of Avon penned the lines that are so often quoted "Some men are born great, some achieve greatness, and some have greatness thrust upon them" he had no thought of the illimitable forests of America or that bug bear to the generations who have cleared the soil the common every day buck saw Among the millions of men who now toast their toes at a coal fire, there are quite a few who never got a saw sharp enough to cut wood with in fact the average boy would sooner chase a squirrel all day than tackle a half dozen sticks The particulars which follow are about a boy who must have differed materially from the ordinary American youth, but, be that as it may, the most superficial investigation will prove that what he says is true, and any communication mailed to him will receive an answer corroborating what he states Read this Mr H F Owen, of No 22 East College avenue, Foreman of the job department of the Dispatch Office Y Pa says "When I was a boy about fifteen years of age, I had to help saw the wood which was used at home My father had two men working for him and I had just come home with a saw that had been sharpened and was going to cut a big lot of wood The two men, just for amusement encouraged me to see how much I could saw in one hour I started in, every little while they would say, Keep it up you are doing well' and I worked all the harder Before the hour was up I was ready to fall over, but I stuck it out and found I had cut one cord Since that time I have had a weak back and year after year it grew worse I had a great deal of backache and sharp shooting pains in the loins I took many medicines but never got relief until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills from a drug store They relieved me at once I am glad to recommend them and I advise others troubled with kidney diseases to give them a trial'

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Alms-house Account.

C. K GILBERT Esq Treasurer in account with the Directors of the Poor

DR

Balance at last settlement	$ 650 11
Cash from Robert E Wible in full for boarding I H Plank	98 10
Commissioners orders for 1897	10 050 00
Taxes in Commissioners orders of February 1896	50 00
Cash from Benj Dearlorff for board	91 50
Jas Gelbach on acct of boarding	106 00
Emil Erdman interest	8 70
R E Wible on account of Dr Win ter boarding	13 60
I M Williams in full for boarding Maud Williams	19 13
Henry Osborne boarding	34 50
Alexander Gilbert rent	1 50
D P Panebaker wheat	181 31
R E Wible from Harriet Cool estate	3 40
Total	$11 39 80

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Out-Door Relief R E Wible Treasurer	$2,818 00	—$2,898 00

Dry Goods and Clothing

Skelly & Warner	$11 85	
J H Myers	11 23	
D A Mickley	17 85	
J R Stine & Son	21 0	
G W Spangler	93 67	
H L Brown	1 58	
C H Klepper	24 75	
G W Weaver & Son	11 06	
Geo S Kump	1 53	
N Hieberman	10 60	
G W Lammert & Co	11 08	
Wm Pratt	8 00	
Davis & Co	7 15	
Dougherty & Hartley	13 20	
		—$ 379 12

Groceries

W J Settle	$88 53	
J Spangler	7 68	
Jos Burke	72 18	
W C Stritchhouser	60 08	
H L Brown	51 18	
C D Smith	63 63	
G W Lammert & Co	40 01	
S G Spangler & Co	68 89	
J M Pfeffer	63 81	
D A Mickley	57 06	
B F Myers	59 70	
W H Wierman	36 97	
W J Ritter	7 18	
J K Kummerant	6 48	
		—$ 610 12

Beef and Pork

John Butt	$ 16 70	
Wm Dillman	11 00	
Jos Kelly	3 90	
Daniel Wagner	3 12	
Jesse Eckert	30 21	
B W Hankey	11 20	
J S Stallsmith	12 21	
W J Swope	25 60	
Jacob Waybright	8 55	
John Kime	12 13	
Henry Roth	1 18	
David A Riley	7 13	
Geo Herbst	11 23	
John K McIlhenny	10 61	
Joseph Althoff	17	
J G Frock	16 70	
B F Gaise	12 11	
J F Little	1 37	
W A Bighum	31 80	
H J Brinkerhoff Jr	21 06	
Boyer & Raffensperger	9 87	
W W Boyer & Bro	70 03	
Dorsey Fowler	14 82	
Phillip Hemler	1 18	
Edward Hall	13	
Samuel Shriver	7 3	
Morgan Mickley	198 16	
Frederick Brown	35 61	
P C Sowers	151 66	
Philip Weaver	10	
Weikand & Homan	110 1	
Eckenrode & Becker	32 1	
J H I Rummel	7 15	
		—$1071 57

Tobacco and Snuff

John L Sheads	$57 80	
R A Wonders	37 17	
W J Martin	5 25	
C H Klepper	4 55	
		—$ 135 8

Electric Light

Light	$252 50	—$ 252 50

Postage

C K Gilbert	$2 50	
R Bell	1 18	
		—$ 4 48

Affidavits

G W Koser	$ 3 00	
Jno L Hill Jr	15 50	
		—$ 18 50

Hats, Shoes, Shoemaking

Waltman & Company	$76 11	
C B Kitzmiller	32 00	
H J Walter	12 15	
Ramer & Wiest	1 00	
		—$ 122 00

Repairs

R D Armor & Son	$ 52 17	
Jos Reindollar	1 70	
C A Blocher	3 25	
C A Trimmer	1 10	
S H Tholtz	1 85	
G C Gottwald	1 8	
Jacob Herman	3 80	
W D McSherry	2 06	
Peter Culp	13 41	
John I Tawney	16 75	
Wm M Henry	10 03	
W A McIlhenny	2 85	
J D Lees	1 00	
W H Johns	6 87	
Jere Chrowister	3 75	
John A Rivers	4 5	
Solomon Tipton	1 25	
I M Fox	6 85	
Warren & Smiley	8 5	
H P Yeagy	5 20	
		—$ 287 90

Hardware

J H Sanders & Son	12 03	—$ 42 03

Labor

Wm Henry	4 38	—$ 4 38

Water for Fire Purposes

John M Warner	133 3	
Geo P Thomas, Jr	98 05	
		—$ 531 25

Transferring of Inmates and Insane and Travelling Expenses

Samuel Sipling	3 75	
R E Wible	14 30	
		—$ 18 05

Boarding of Children and Insane

John L Taughinbaugh	$ 7 00	
P C Brough	70 00	
H J Diehl	52 00	
C D Cook	16 26	
Pius Snyder	70 22	
John F Carey	63 71	
Tressler Orphans Home	6 00	
Penna State Lunatic Hospital	954 25	
Blockley Alms house	61 79	
Frank Herbst	85 00	
		—$1441 26

Flour, Feed and Grinding

Alexander Spangler	$60 13	
J J Smith & Son	23 80	
J Geo Wolf's Sons	63 13	
J C Reinecker	13 00	
Francis L Smith	11 91	
		—$ 196 26

Medical Examination and Attendance

Dr Robert Horner	$42 50	
Dr J R Dickson	7 00	
Dr W H O'Neal	27 50	
		—$ 77 50

Miscellaneous

R E Wible legal expense	$35 00	
Robt Bell, attending audit	10 00	
D E Waltman tax on Abbottstown property	60	
Gilbert & Hines, pump	7 00	
C S Speese, drain tile	8 71	
L H Meales head stone	15 00	
J L Hill & Son, pulling teeth	1 50	
Susan Swope quilt rent	1 00	
		—$ 79 41

Wagons and Machinery

H E Riddlemoser	$ 80 13	
E C Wenchoff	58 00	
Calvin Good	121 00	
		—$ 263 13

Drugs and Medicine

L M Buehler	$82 68	
People's Drug Store	0 10	
		—$ 108 78

Fish

G W Myers	$3 45	
A Shoemaker	1 00	
		—$ 4 45

Cattle and Hogs

Adam Reiling	$ 50 00	
James Ross	35 00	
Hanson Eckert	27 00	
Beamer & Slusser	107 41	
		—$ 219 41

Potatoes

Samuel Tuckey	$ 5 50	
Will Eyster	7 00	
John Group	6 58	
John Fohl	4 00	
Edward Dentrick	6 00	
Edward Hall	19 20	
D P Hartman	12 00	
		—$ 60 08

Blacksmithing

Jas Caldwell	$43 15	—$ 43 15

Printing

I E Wible	$ 7 25	
Star & Sentinel	116 50	
Stahle & Brother	115 00	
D B Alleman	115 00	
		—$ 353 75

Coffins

J F Miller	$10 00	
J W Garlach	30 98	
W J Shanefelter	26 87	
H F Helkes	3 87	
David Bucher	3 87	
Robt Hamilton	3 87	
		—$ 79 46

Seeds

John Panebaker	$17 40	
Samuel Tuckey	22 99	
Alexander Spangler	15 91	
		—$ 56 30

Apples and Vinegar

W V Beltman	$5 70	—$ 5 70

Coal

Oyler & Brother	$714 02	—$ 714 02

Fertilizers

Soll & Panebaker	$77 00	
J E Reiling	31 20	
W A McIlhenny	75 60	
Calvin Bushoar	15 00	
R W Bream	11 00	
		—$ 212 70

Lumber

Edward Hall	$37 64	
H F Buehler	25 23	
A Shealy	5 40	
		—$ 68 27

Veterinary and Medicine

W M Biggs	6 50	—$ 6 50

Wood chopping and Wood

W Metz	$49 00	
D K Snyder	12 00	
		—$ 61 00

Brooms and Broom making

H S Plank	$5 78	
S R Tipton	5 00	
		—$ 10 78

Ditching and Well digging

John Smith	$100 60	
W I Olinger	31 01	
		—$ 131 61

State Assessment

L A Colburn	$15 00	—$ 15 00

Binder Twine

John C Plank	$7 20	
H W Lightner	5 10	
		—$ 12 30

Lime

W S Schroder	$36 00	
I L Schick	36 00	
		—$ 72 00

Lightning Rods

R C Swope	$78 70	—$ 78 70

Wire Fence

J F Hartman	$46 48	
Lightholtz & Bonner	31 50	
M H Ball	38 00	
		—$ 120 18

Threshing

Samuel Tuckey & Co	$13 16	—$ 13 16

Salary of Officers

Dr John R Dickson	$300 00	
Robt Bell	100 00	
C K Gilbert	75 00	
R E Wible	100 00	
D P Panebaker	300 00	
J C Wenchoff	200 00	
A Keckler	12 50	
Samuel Deatrick	127 0	
W G Panebaker	180 00	
S E Waltman	140 00	
A J Wenchoff	120 00	
		—$1615 00

Women

Mrs D P Panebaker	$200 00	
L C Wenchoff	104 00	
A Keckler	26 00	
Samuel Deatrick	78 00	
S L Waltman	156 00	
Lizzie Wenchoff	130 00	
Miss Maggie Waltman	53 75	
Julia Calhoun	13 00	
Elizabeth Lelkes	13 7	
		—$ 776 50
		$13 387 19
Balance on hand		19 61
		11 336 80

We the undersigned Auditors of the County of Adams State of Pennsylvania, having examined the foregoing account of the Directors of the Adams County Alms house find a balance in the hands of the Treasurer of Seven Hundred and Ninety nine Dollars and Sixty one Cents ($ 19 61)

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 21st day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety eight (1898)

I A SEABROOK, [SEAL]
JAMES A MACBETH [SEAL]
W E OLINGER [SEAL]
County Auditors

STEWARD'S ACCOUNT

D. P PANEBAKER in account with the Directors of the Poor, of Adams Co Alms House.

DR

Balance from last settlement	$127 56
Robert Bell calf	2 50
Morgan Mickley calves and beef hides	28 87
James Harris boarding	13 00
F Lott on ton of hay	6 00
Mr Laughlke boarding	1 00
Samuel Hill hay	5 00
D M Frey hay	16 00
Charles Lutz boarding	17 00
Harry Lott hay	6 50
James Devine wheat	2 40
J Hymes boarding	8 00
John Bolin boarding	10 00
Harvey Plank calf	3 60
James Ross wheat and calf	31 63
J Geo Wolf's Sons, wheat	181 31
James Heintz boarding	12 00
Michael Casey boarding	15 00
Jno Tenety boarding	18 00
Wm Duttera beef hide	4 10
C K Gilbert beef hide	6 00
Jno Panbaker wheat	12 88
	$710 36

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Box rent	1 00
Transporting inmates	27 7
Toll or pike	8 10
Stamps and postal cards	9 12
Freight on goods	17 07
Express	2 65
Traveling expenses	21 5
Apples cider and apple butter	17 00
Repairing clocks and spectacles	1 10
Yeast and lemons	1 11
Horse powders	1 75
Oysters	1
Potatoes and sweet potatoes	11 70
Hats stockings and shoes	2 22
Onions and Peaches	13 75
Cherries and berries	20 20
Fish	3 64
Sun stress	10 00
Labor	25 15
Return expenses of inmates	3 50
Telegraph and telephone dispatches	1 80
Dressing stock	15
Beans and Peas	6 01
Watermelons quinces and cattle	4 2
Seeds and plants	7 05
Repairs	16 38
Fruits and vegetables	4 1
Brushes and harness	8 50
Lemons	2 00
Sundries	2 90
Cash paid C K Gilbert	197 31
Wm Duttera tan	1 10
J Hallem coal stove	3 40
Louis Mizell posts	2 98
Horse shoeing	1 60
Survey line	1 10
	$541 77
Balance in hand of Steward	170 91

No of inmates cared for during year

Male department	85
Number died	
Number remaining	31
Female department	25
Number died	3
Number remaining	20
Insane department	24
Number died	2
Number remaining	22
No Tramps given lodging	3 508
No Meals furnished tramps	7 116

AMOUNT OF PRODUCE

Wheat 1 341 bu
Rye 6 bu
Oats 806 bu
Corn 3 500 bu
Clover seed 31 bu
Potatoes 300 bu
Red beets 22 bu
Beans 25 bu
Sweet potatoes 26 bu
Turnips 25 bu
Tomatoes 60 bu
Apples 60 bu
Onions 10 bu
Cabbage, 3 000 heads
Cucumbers 250 doz
Hay 67 loads
Corn fodder 40 loads
Pork killed 8 341 lbs
Beef killed, 2 541 lbs
Wood hauled 52 cords
Posts hauled, 300

We the undersigned, Auditors of the County of Adams State of Pennsylvania, having examined the foregoing account of D P Panebaker Esq, Steward of the Alms house for the year 1897 and have found a balance due the county of One Hundred and Seventy Dollars and Ninety one cents ($170 91)

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 21st day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety eight (1898)

I A SLABROOK, [SEAL]
JAMES A MACBETH, [SEAL]
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Out-Door Relief.

ROBT E WIBLE

DR

Out-Door Relief for February 1897	$ 171 00
March,	237 00
April,	273 00
May,	220 00
June,	222 00
July,	241 00
August,	220 00
September,	214 00
October	261 00
November,	225 00
December,	242 00
January, 1898	247 00
Balance on hand at last settlement	77 71
To forfeited orders	24 00
Total	$2917 71

CR

Out Door Relief Orders paid	$2872 00	
Postage bill for 1897	18 75	
Balance in hands of Treasurer	46 96	
		$2917 71

Albert, Mary, Mountpleasant	$17 00
Armstrong, Eliz, Gettysburg	20 00
Able Charles, Straban	16 00
Becker James M, Oxford twp	28 00
Biddney John Thos, Oxford twp	20 00
Bapp Lydia Berwick bor	20 00
Brown, Cath Straban	12 00
Brown, Geo, "	12 00
Brown Samuel New Oxford bor	20 00
Burr, John, Mountpleasant	8 00
Blythe Sarah L, Fairfield	16 00
Carbaugh, Cath Mountpleasant	16 00
Cannon, Cath, York Springs	20 00
Crouse, Cath, Cumberland	3 00
Cauffman, Eliz, Hamiltonban	16 00
Culp, Lovina Gettysburg	20 00
Curlens, Eliz, Cumberland	20 00
Cashman, Ella, Huntington	16 00
Crouse, Mary E, Littlestown	20 00
Cronise, Fred	20 00
Cline Caroline, Bendersville	16 00
Criner, Mary C, "	20 00
Carbaugh Jere Franklin	20 00
Chronister Rebecca J New Oxford bor	16 00
Carbaugh, Wm Berwick twp	12 00
Culp, Sarah A, Gettysburg	16 00
Craig, Joanna Franklin	12 00
Cook, Geo, Gettysburg	10 00
Carbaugh Cath Hamiltonban	5 00
Davis Hiram Latimore	20 00
Davis Mary York Springs	16 00
Dermody, Joseph, Mountpleasant	20 00
Derby Sarah J Bendersville	10 10
Dunn, Bernard Mountpleasant	12 00
Delap, Anna, Tyrone	8 00
Deardorff, Ann Louisa, Butler	12 00
Dallhammer Sadie, Latimore	20 00
Emlose, Isaac E, Berwick twp	20 00
Eberly Isabella, Gettysburg	20 00
Epley, Sarah, Butler	12 00
Eaut, Eliza, Franklin	20 00
Fickel Elmer E, Latimore	20 00
Forney, Henry, Franklin	20 00
Fox Maurice C, Gettysburg	20 00
Forsythe Catherine, Conowago	20 00
Frame, Margaret Straban	20 00
Forney, Daniel, Cumberland	6 00
Fickel Annie M, Latimore	20 00
Frame, John, Straban	20 00
Fissel, Geo B Reading	20 00
Ferguson, John, Hamiltonban	1 00
Fleshman, Louisa, Gettysburg	5 00
Gouker Sarah, Mountjoy.	12 00
Graft, Daniel, Huntington	20 00
Grove, Elizabeth, Union	16 00
Hoffman Sarah A, Hamiltonban	20 00
Horner, Susan, Littlestown	28 00
Harman Eliz Straban	6
Harman Elijah Straban	5
Hockensmith Eliz Mountpleasant	4
Haas Adam Gettysburg	
Haas Ann Mary Gettysburg	
Hoffman John Hamiltonban	
Harman Wm H Straban	
Hoke Eliz Cumberland	
Hoke Jacob,	20 00
Hoffman Cath Gettysburg	5 00
Hosby Madaline Mountpleasant	8 00
Johns Cath Gettysburg	11 00
Jones Eliza	16 00
Kenner Cath Franklin	20 00
Keefauver Harriet Cumberland	21 00
King Philip Reading	20 00
Kump Annie, Franklin	0 00
Kump Matilda	12 00
Kochler Priscilla McSherrystown	8 00
Kunkle Nancy Straban	1 00
Kugler Eliza, Hamiltonban	3 00
Keefer Henry Mountpleasant	0 00
Kreps John P McSherrystown	0 00
Kritz Eliz Gettysburg	13 00
Kuhn Wm Ignatius New Oxford bor	20 00
Koontz, Mary, Huntington	20 00
Kemper Emanuel Tyrone	1 00
Kemper Geo W	10 00
Little Orpha Straban	1 00
Lower, Cath S Meadsville	11 00
Little Eliz Gettysburg	10 00
Little Eliz Col	0 00
Lilly Eliz, Latimore	16 00
Leppo Sarah Conowago	7 00
McIntosh, Jos A Menallen	12 00
Matthews Mary Straban	20 00
Myers Lewis Huntington	20 00
Myers Sarah Ann Mountjoy	1 00
Miller John Henry Gettysburg	12 00
Miller Nancy, Butler	1 00
Miller Daniel H Huntington	20 00
Mollison, Susan, Straban	20 30
Myers Nancy Huntington	16 00
Myers Parker Huntington	20 00
Metz Eliza, Hamiltonban	1 0
Miller, Sarah M Conowago	5 00
Metz James Latimore	5 00
McIntire Nancy Straban	0 0
McMaster, Lucinda Mountpleasant	12 00
McIntire Frank D Huntington	16 00
McCleaf, Mrs Henry Menallen	5 00
Noel Eliza Ann Reading	20 00
Noel, Lucy A Franklin	0 00
Nicks Margaret Mountpleasant	1 00
Newman Chas Mountpleasant	16 00
Overholtzer Irene, Reading	20 00
Olet Cor Hamiltonban	1 00
Palm Alfred Gettysburg	1 00
Poltorff, Lena Straban	0 00
Poltorff Peter	20 00
Paxton Martha Franklin	20 00
Pisel Jane Menallen	11 00
Powell Sarah Latimore	16 00
Pitt Olivia (for child) Huntington	1 00
Palm Josephine Gettysburg	20 10
Plank Wm Cumberland	0 00
Pittenturf, Emma Huntington	20 00
Reese Violet Hamiltonban	16 00
Rider Caroline Ellen Mountpleasant	14 00
Reandthaler, Cath Highland	14 00
Roth, Isaac Butler	0 00
Reesman Margaret Hamiltonban	1 00
Shindledecker, Wm A, Hamiltonban	16 00
Stoops, Daniel	16 00
Stavely, Ellen, Germany	16 00
Smith Albertta Mountpleasant	0 00
Smith Anna Mary	2 00
Spangler, Susan, Tyrone	16 00
Schlosser Eliza Franklin	5 00
Smith, Mary A, Mountpleasant	11 00
Shirry Nancy Cath, Tyrone	20 00
Thoman Rosa Mountpleasant	0 00
Steiner Lucinda, Littlestown	20 00
Sterner C Elizabeth	7 00
Sterner John B	16 00
Staub Mary Cath Reading	0 00
Small Aloysius Conowago	20 00
Small Elizabeth,	16 00
Staub, Mary Mountpleasant	1 00
Singley, S Amelia Hamiltonban	8 00
Small Margaret, McSherrystown	9 00
Spangler Elizabeth York Springs	12 00
Small, Emma L Mountpleasant	16 00
Strong, Louisa Hamiltonban	8 00
Smith, Matilda Gettysburg	16 00
Swope Cath Straban	0 00
Smallwood Julia Gettysburg	1 00
Strausbaugh, James A, Hamiltonban	10 00
Stouffer, Jane Berwick	20 00
Sherman Conrad Oxford twp	1 00
Smith Wm J, Hamiltonban	13 00
Sanm, Martha, Franklin	20 00
Sherman Elizabeth Germany	1 00
Shoemaker, Jos, Franklin	1 00
Shoemaker, Lucia,	1 00
Sell Georgianna Littlestown	5 00
Trimmer Nancy Franklin	12 00
Trimmer Maria R, Berwick bor	16 00
Tate, Rebecca Gettysburg	16 00
Thoman Susanna M Butler	16 00
Wilson Susan	1 00
Withers Cath Straban	16 00
Warren Sarah Ann, East Berlin	16 00
Wagaman, Wm Hamiltonban	16 00
Wills Elizabeth Liberty	16 10
Woodyard Mary J, Liberty	10 00
Weigle Samuel, Huntington	10 00
Wolf Cath, Straban	10 00
Wagaman, Theo, Mountpleasant	20 00
Wingert Daniel McSherrystown	8 00
Weaver D Hamiltonban	1 00
Woodward Helen, Gettysburg	2 00
Walters Mrs John, Littlestown	16 00
Wagaman Annie J Hamiltonban	16 00
Wise Sarah, Tyrone	15 00
Wagaman Alfred Mountpleasant	8 00
Warner, Mary Ann, Huntington	16 00
Witt Margaret for Viol and Grace Littlestown	1 00
Weigle Cath Huntington	12 00
Wagaman M, McSherrystown	1 00
Wenck, Peter N, Mountpleasant	16 00
Yohe, Maria B, Huntington	20 00
Young Henry F, Tyrone	10 00
Ziegler, Elizabeth, East Berlin	10 00
Total	$2872 00

We the undersigned Auditors of the county of Adams, State of Pennsylvania do certify that we have examined and adjusted the foregoing account of Out-Door Relief and find the same correct with a balance due the county of Forty six Dollars and Ninety six Cents, ($46 96)

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 21st day of January, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety eight, 1898

E A SEABROOK, [SEAL]
JAMES A MACBETH [SEAL]
W I OLINGER, [SEAL]
County Auditors.

Mar 1, 1898. 4t

Crops and Markets.

Recent information from Chicago is to the following effect

Horses are marketed more freely than a year ago At Chicago, 13 162 were received in February, against 11 373 last year This is a response to active demand

A brisk demand and quickened values characterize the cattle markets Extra prime steers are selling in at Chicago $5 65 to $5 90—25c higher than a year ago

Fat sheep in the Chicago market sold at $4 25 to $4 50, and lambs at $5 25 to $5 55 These prices are 10 cents above those of a year ago

Corn receipts have been heavy 6 802-000 bushels, and the visible supply has increased 601 000 On Wednesday the May price in Chicago was 30½c The same as the week before The fluctuations have been very slight The July price is 31½c

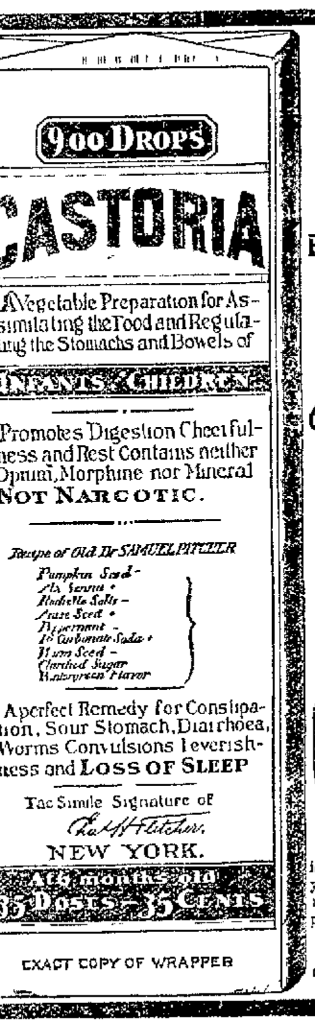
Eggs are shipped in unusually large quantities and prices are low, leading to very heavy consumption Poultry receipts are lighter, and hence values are appreciating

It is a singular fact that the Chicago wheat market is relatively higher than any other The contest of seller and buyer is between Leiter and Liverpool The result depends on a nice balance of trade movement If the fleets from Argentina, the Pacific coast and India are slow and meagre in freightage, the price will be maintained and may go up If they suffice to supply current consumption under the hard-to-mouth policy of foreign millers the tendency will be to the season for active movement of the southern harvest approaches to decline of values Much depends on the nerve with which this policy is adhered to for panic is likely at any time to cause a break in the market. There is a clement of danger in the Chicago bull operations which tends to discourage free exportations, while the world is scoured by European buyers to obtain needed supplies The more they find abroad, the less American grain will be required The uncertainty whether they can do without it is emphasized by the 15 cents difference between May and July wheat

The Chicago price has been near $1 04 during the past week and about 90 for July, with narrow fluctuations Receipts are 2 632 000 bushels and the Atlantic visible has decreased 1 070 000 bushels

If in digging into an old sod many of the white grub or cutworms are found, it is best to fall plow the piece as late as possible, so that the cutworms will not be able to find new and secure hiding places Under a heavy sod the soil often does not freeze deeply, and it is always possible for the worm to find quarters where it will be dry during the winter All kinds of worms and insect pests are easily killed by exposure to frost preceded by water A dry freeze does not hurt them, but when wet and cold come together they succumb Besides the upturning in the fall exposes the cutworms to their natural enemies the birds, which winter here and which destroy great numbers of them —*Farm and Fireside*

According to a table of figures produced from the reports of United States Internal Revenue Districts the State of Missouri leads every other State in the Union in the manufacture of tobacco the product for the month of January alone amounting to nearly 5 000 000 pounds This was divided between what was known as the First and Sixth districts The first district consisting mostly of the city of St Louis manufactured during that time 4 579 843 pounds while the Sixth district, comprising the western part of the State manufactured 48 873 pounds It also leads the Western States in the manufacture of cigarettes Kentucky follows Missouri with a production of about 3 000 000 pounds



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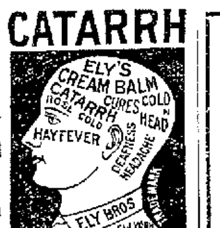

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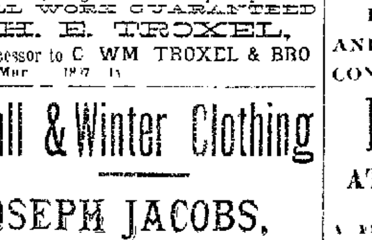

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